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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

A Document That Deals Pointedly With Important Questions of the Day.

STRONGER LAWS URGED AGAINST POLYGAMY.

Reciprocity Treaty with Hawaii Indorsed—Harbor Defense Recommended—Our Foreign Relations—Etc.

The president congratulates the country upon its friendly relations with foreign powers.——A report relative to an affecting immigration is recommended and a commission to consider the questions of fishing rights in northern Atlantic and Pacific waters.——The executive suggests that congress empower him to retaliate against governments which are unfriendly to American products. The president is of the opinion that a better understanding should be arrived at with our neighbors.——He does not hesitate in recognizing the government of General Iglesias.——He believes that charges of fraud under the Hawaiian reciprocity treaty have been exaggerated, and does not favor entire cessation of treaty relations with that kingdom.——Legations have been established at a number of Asiatic courts in pursuance of a policy extending our relations with eastern countries.——The message discusses the transference of American capital to China, and states that China will probably co-operate with the United States government in the suppression of restriction act frauds.——It recommends that the tax be limited to an international social and extension.——It recommends that the large and increasing surplus revenue of the United States be expended in increasing our navy.——Comptroller Knox's recommendations in regard to national bank circulation are indorsed.——The president recommends that trade dollars be purchased by the government at a small percentage above the market price of silver.——Indian troubles are pronounced a thing of the past.——The importance of the need of harbor defense is urged upon congress.——National encouragement of shipbuilding is suggested.——The construction of additional vessels as described and approved.——The president recommends that "drop" letters be carried for one cent, and predicts that such action will occasion but slight and temporary loss to the postoffice department.——He discourages the postal telegraph scheme, but suggests that the postoffice department might contract with private corporations for the carriage and delivery of postal messages.——A revision of the statutes regulating salaries of officers and witnesses of federal courts.——Stronger laws against land and pension frauds are earnestly urged.——Attention is called to the alarmingly large percentage of illiteracy in some states.——The executive is of the belief that stringent measures against polygamy are imperative; he favors entire control of Utah by congress, and recommends the sharpening of existing laws, which experience has demonstrated are futile.——Legislation for the prevention and cure of cattle diseases is urged.——The president believes that the people of Alaska are shamefully neglected, and urges congress to give that territory civil government.

The Message.

To the Congress of the United States:

At the threshold of your deliberation, I congratulate you upon the favorable aspect of the domestic affairs of the government and our relations with other nations, which continue to be upon a friendly footing. With the Argentine Republic, Belgium, Brazil, Denmark, Hayti, Italy, San Domingo, Sweden and Norway no incident has occurred which calls for special comment.

The opening of new lines of telegraphic communication with Central America and Brazil permitted the interchange of messages of friendship with the governments of those countries.

With Germany there have been perfected and proclaimed consular and commercial treaties with ... a consular treaty with Roumania, thus extending our intercourse with the Danube countries, while our eastern relations have been upon ... by treaties with Corea and Madagascar. A boundary and a treaty with Mexico, a trade-mark convention and a supplementary extradition with Spain, and the convention extending the duration of the Franco-American commission have also been proclaimed.

PAUPER IMMIGRATION.

Objection has arisen on this immigration to the United States from the British islands, by governmental aid, of persons unable there to earn a living, and equally a burden on the community here. Such of these persons as came under the pauper class, as defined by the law, have been sent back in accordance with the provisions of our statutes. Her majesty's government has insisted that precautions have been taken before shipment. The precautions, however, in some cases proven ineffectual, especially so in certain recent instances of immigrants reaching our territory through Canada. A revision of our legislation upon this subject may be deemed advisable. Correspondence relative to the Clayton-Bulwer treaty has been continued, and will be laid before congress.

OUR FISHING INDUSTRY.

The termination of the fisheries articles of the treaty of Washington was duly given to the British government, and that the treaty will accordingly expire on July 1, 1885. The fisheries industry, pursued by a numerous class of our citizens on the northern coasts both of the Atlantic and Pacific oceans, is worthy of the fostering care of congress. Whenever brought into competition with like industries of other countries our fishermen, as well as our manufacturers of fishing appliances and preparers of fish products, have maintained a foremost place. I suggest that congress create a commission to consider the general question of our rights in the fisheries, and the means of opening to our citizens, under just and enduring conditions, the richly stocked fishing waters of British and Russian North America.

THE EMBARGO AGAINST AMERICAN PORK PRODUCTS.

The legislation of France against the importation of prohibited pork products from the United States ... That result has been due to the friendly representation of this government ... a conviction in France that the restriction was not demanded by any real danger to health.

Germany still prohibits the introduction of swine products from America. There was extended to the imperial government a friendly invitation to send experts to the United States, to inquire whether the use of these products was dangerous to health. This invitation was declined. I have believed that this matter is of such importance, however, that the exact facts should be ascertained ... and I have appointed a competent commission to make a thorough investigation of the subject. Its members have shown their public spirit by accepting their trust without pledge of compensation, but I trust congress will see in the national and international importance of the matter a sufficient motive for providing at least for reimbursement for such expenses as they may necessarily incur.

RELIGIOUS RIGHTS ABROAD.

The coronation of the Czar at Moscow afforded to this government an occasion of testifying to its continued friendship by sending a special envoy and a representative of the navy to attend the ceremony. While there have arisen during the year no grave questions affecting the status in the Russian empire of American citizens of other faith than that held by the national church, this government remains firm in its conviction that the rights of citizens abroad should be in no wise affected by their religious belief.

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Mexican government, and in the absence of conventional engagements the rights of our citizens in Mexico now depend upon the domestic statutes of that republic. There have been instances of harsh infringement of laws against our vessels and citizens in Mexico, and of denial of diplomatic resort for their protection. The initial step toward a better understanding has been taken in the negotiation by the commission appointed by congress of a treaty, which is still before the senate awaiting its approval.

The provisions for the reciprocal crossing of the frontier by troops in pursuit of hostile Indians have been prolonged for another year. The operations of the forces of both governments against these savages have been successful, and several of their most dangerous bands have been captured or dispersed by the skillful valor of United States and Mexican soldiers fighting in a common cause.

The convention for the resurvey of the boundary from the Rio Grande to the Pacific having been ratified and exchanged, the preliminary reconnaissance therein stipulated has been effected, and it now rests with congress to make provision for completing the survey and relocating the boundary monument.

An agreement was signed with Mexico on July 13, 1882, providing for the rehearing of the cases of Benjamin Weil and of the Abra Silver Mining company, in whose favor awards were made by the late American and Mexican claims commission. That convention still awaits the consent of the senate. Meanwhile charges of fraudulent awards have made a new commission necessary, and the executive has directed the suspension of payments of the distribution quota received from Mexico.

CHILE AND PERU.

Our geographical proximity to Central America, and our political and commercial relations with the states of that country justify, in my judgment, such a material increase of our consular corps as will place at each capital a consul general.

The contest between Bolivia, Chile and Peru has passed from the stage of strategic hostility to that of negotiation, in which the counsel of this government has been exercised. The demands of Chile for absolute cession of territory have been maintained and accepted by the party of General Iglesias, to the extent of concluding a treaty of peace with the government of Chile, in general conformity with the terms of the protocol signed in May last between the Chilean commander and General Iglesias. As a result of the conclusion of this treaty, General Iglesias has been formally recognized by Chile as president of Peru, and his government installed at Lima, which has been evacuated by the Chileans. A call has been issued by General Iglesias for a representative assembly, to be elected on the 13th of January, and to meet at Lima on the 1st of March next. Mr. White, provisional governor of General Iglesias, has applied for recognition by the principal powers of America and Europe. I shall not hesitate to recognize the government.

VENEZUELA.

Diplomatic and naval representatives of this government attended, at Caracas, the centennial celebration of the birth of the illustrious Bolivar. At the same time the inauguration of the statue of Washington in the Venezuelan capital testified to the devotion in which his memory is held there. Congress, at its last session, authorized the executive to propose to the Venezuelan government the reopening of the awards of the mixed commission. Of course, the departure from this country of the Venezuelan minister has delayed the opening of negotiations for reviving the commission. This government holds that until the reestablishment of the treaty on this subject the Venezuelan government must continue to make the payments provided for in the convention of 1866. There is ground for believing that the dispute growing out of the unpaid obligations due from Venezuela to France will be satisfactorily adjusted. The French cabinet has proposed a basis of settlement which meets my approval, but involves a recasting of the annual quotas of the foreign debt. It has been deemed advisable to submit the proposal to the judgment of the cabinets of Berlin, Copenhagen, The Hague, London and Madrid.

THE RECIPROCITY TREATY WITH HAWAII.

At the recent coronation of His Majesty King Kalakaua the government was represented both diplomatically and by the formal visit of a vessel of war. The question of terminating or modifying the existing reciprocity treaty with Hawaii is now before congress. I am convinced that the charges of abuses and frauds under that treaty have been exaggerated. I renew the suggestion of last year's message that the treaty be modified wherever its provisions have proven prejudicial to legitimate trade between the two countries. I am not disposed to favor the entire cessation of treaty relations which have fostered good will between the countries, and contributed toward the equality of Hawaii in the family of nations.

LEGATIONS ESTABLISHED AT ASIATIC COURTS.

In pursuance of the policy declared by this government of extending our enterprises with the eastern nations, legations have, during the past year, been established in Persia, Siam and Corea. It is probable that permanent missions from those countries will be long maintained in the United States. A special embassy from Siam is now on its way hither. Treaty relations with Corea were perfected by the exchange at Seoul, on the 19th of May last, of the ratification of the late concluded convention. Envoys from the king have visited this country, and received a cordial welcome. Corea is as yet unacquainted with the methods of western civilization, and now invites the attention of those interested in the foreign trade, as it needs the implements and products which the United States are ready to supply. We seek no monopoly of its commerce, and no advantage over other nations.

AMERICAN CAPITAL IN CHINA.

A question has arisen touching the right of American and other foreign manufacturers in China, under the provisions of the treaties which permit aliens to exercise their industries in that country. On this specific point our own treaty is silent, but under the operation of the most favored nation clause we have a like privilege with those of other powers. While it is the duty of the government to see that our citizens have the full enjoyment of every benefit secured by the treaty, I doubt the expediency of leading in a movement to constrain China to admit an interpretation which we have only an indirect treaty right to exact. The transference to China of American capital for the employment of Chinese labor would have the effect to inaugurate a competition for the control of markets now supplied by our home industries. But as the Chinese, in reaching for a higher civilization, have found it in this republic, we cannot regard with indifference any encroachment on their rights. I think the payment of a money indemnity has settled certain of the long pending claims of our citizens, and I have strong hopes that the remainder will be adjusted.

VIOLATION OF THE RESTRICTION LAW.

There is good reason to believe that the law restricting the immigration of Chinese has been violated, intentionally or otherwise, by the officials of China upon whom devolves the duty of certifying that the immigrants belong to the excepted classes. Measures have been taken to ascertain the facts incident to this supposed infraction, and it is believed that the government of China will co-operate with the United States in securing the faithful observance of the law.

The same consideration which prompted congress at its last session to return to Japan the Simonoseki indemnity seems to me to require at its hands like action in respect to the Canton indemnity fund, now amounting to $300,000.

JAPAN.

The question of the general revision of the foreign treaties of Japan has been considered in an international conference held at Tokio, but without definite result as yet. This government is disposed to concede the requests of Japan to determine its own tariff duties, to provide such proper judicial tribunals as may commend themselves to the western powers for the trial of causes to which foreigners are parties, and to assimilate the terms and duration of its treaties to those of other civilized states.

LIBERIA.

Through our minister at London, this government has endeavored to aid Liberia in its differences with Great Britain touching the northwestern boundary of that republic. There is a prospect of an adjustment of the dispute, by the adoption of the Mannah river as the line. This arrangement is a compromise ...

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dition of the country. It shows that the ordinary revenues from all sources, for the fiscal year ended June 30, 1883, amounted to $398,287,581.95, whereof there was received for customs, $214,706,496.93; from internal revenue, $144,720,368.98; from sales of public lands, $7,955,864.42; from tax on circulation and deposits of national banks, $9,111,008.85; from profits on coinage, bullion deposits and assays, $4,460,205.17; from other sources, $17,333,637.60. Total, $398,287,581.95. For the same period the ordinary expenditures were: For civil expenses, $22,343,285.76; for foreign intercourse, $2,419,275.24; for Indians, $7,362,590.34; for pensions, $66,012,573.64; for military establishment, including river and harbor improvements and arsenals, $48,911,382.93; for naval establishment, including vessels, machinery, and improvements at navy yards, $15,283,437.17; for miscellaneous expenditures, including public buildings, light-houses and collecting the revenue, $40,098,432.73; for expenditures on account of the District of Columbia, $3,817,028.48; for interest on the public debt, $59,160,131.25; total, $265,408,137.54; leaving a surplus revenue of $132,879,444.41, which, with an amount drawn from the cash balance in the treasury of $1,299,312.55, making $134,178,756.96, was applied to the payment of the public debt.

The revenue for the current fiscal year, actual and estimated, is as follows. The first figures are those of actual receipts for the first quarter ended Sept. 30th last, and the second figures, directly following, the estimates for the three quarters which will end with the year June 30th, 1884:

From customs—$57,402,975.67—$137,597,024.33.

Internal revenue—$29,662,078.40—$90,337,921.60.

From sales of public lands—$2,932,635.17—$5,067,...

From tax on circulation and deposits of national banks—$1,557,...—$1,942,119.12.

From repayment of interest and the sinking fund of the Pacific railroads—$521,059.51—$1,478,940.47.

From customs fees, fines, etc.—$198,...

From fees, consular letters patent and lands—$1,033,...—$2,454,...28.

From proceeds of sales of government property—$ 12,...—$112,477.77.

From profits of coinage, etc.—$9,502,294.6...—$3,149,...

From deposits for surveying lands—$172,401.31...

From District of Columbia—$2,360,117.93—$1,214,...

From miscellaneous—$1,257,189.0...—$2,982,231.17.

Total receipts—$95,966,047.03—$247,...

The actual and estimated expenses for the current fiscal year are as follows; Here, also, the first figures are those of actual disbursements for the quarter ended September 30, the second for the three quarters to end the 30th of June next:

For civil and miscellaneous, including public buildings, light houses and collecting the revenue, $15,287,709.42—$51,114,290.58.

For Indians, $1,552,109.64—$4,125,609.46.

For pensions, $16,285,261.98—$53,714,738.02.

For the military establishment, including river and harbor improvements and arsenals, $13,512,804.31—$27,487,795.67.

For naval establishment, including vessels and machinery, and improvements of navy yards, $4,...

For expenditures on account of the District of Columbia, $1,136,826.41—$2,611,103.50.

For interest on the public debt, $14,797,... 24.

Total ordinary expenditures, $67,942,090.23—$19,057,... 07.

Total receipts, actual and estimated, $343,000,000; total expenditures, actual and estimated, $258,000,000; balance, $85,000,000.

REVENUE IN EXCESS OF THE DEMAND.

If the revenue for the fiscal year, which will end on June 30, 1885, be estimated upon the basis of existing laws, the secretary is of the opinion that for that year the receipts will exceed $60,000,000 the ordinary expenditures, including the amount devoted to the sinking fund. Hitherto the surplus, as rapidly as it has accumulated, has been devoted to the reduction of the national debt. As a result the only bonds now outstanding, which are redeemable at the pleasure of the government, are the 3 per cents, amounting to $305,000,000, and the 4½ per cents, amounting to $250,000,000. The 3 per cents ... are not payable until 1891 and 1907 respectively. If the surplus shall hereafter be as large as the treasury estimates now indicate the 3 per cents may all be redeemed at least four years before any of the 4½ per cents can be called in. The latter, at the same rate of accumulation of surplus, can be paid at maturity, and the moneys requisite for the redemption of the 4 per cents will be in the treasury many years before those obligations become payable. There are cogent reasons, however, why the national indebtedness should not be thus rapidly extinguished. Chief among them is the fact that it would necessitate excessive taxation.

INCREASE THE NAVY WITH THE SURPLUS.

In my annual message to the congress at its last session I recommended that all excise taxes be abolished, except those relating to distilled spirits, and that substantial reductions also be made in the revenues from customs. A statute has since been enacted by which the annual tax and tariff receipts of the government have been cut down to the extent of at least fifty or sixty millions of dollars. While I have no doubt that still further reductions may be wisely made, I do not advise the adoption at this session of any measure of large diminution of the national revenues. The results of the legislation of the last session of congress have not as yet become sufficiently apparent to justify any radical revision or sweeping modification of the existing law. In the interval which must elapse before the effects of the act of March 3, 1883, can be definitely ascertained a portion at least of the surplus revenue may be wisely applied to the long-neglected duty of increasing our navy, and providing defenses for the protection of our harbors. This is a matter to which I shall again allude.

NATIONAL BANK CIRCULATION.

Immediately associated with the financial subject is the discussion of the important question, what legislation is needed regarding the national currency. The aggregate amount of bonds now on deposit in the treasury to support the national bank circulation is about $350,000,000. Nearly $200,000,000 of this amount consists of 3 per cents, which, as already stated, are payable at the pleasure of the government, and likely to be called in within less than four years, unless in the meantime the surplus revenue shall be diminished. The probable effect of such an extensive retirement of the securities which are the basis of the national bank circulation would be such a contraction of the volume of the currency as to produce grave commercial embarrassments. How can the danger be obviated? The most effectual plan, and one whose adoption at the earliest opportunity I shall heartily approve, has already been indicated. If the revenues of the next four years shall be kept substantially commensurate with the expenses, the volume of circulation will not be likely to suffer any material disturbance. But if, on the other hand, there shall be great delay in reducing taxation, it will become necessary either to substitute some of the other forms of currency in place of the national bank notes, or to make important changes in the laws by which their circulation is now controlled. In my judgment the latter course is far preferable. I commend to your attention the very interesting and thoughtful suggestions on this subject which appear in the report of Comptroller Knox. The objections which he urges against the acceptance of any other securities than the obligations of the government itself as a foundation for national bank circulation seem to me insuperable. For averting the threatened contraction two courses have been suggested, either of which is probably feasible. One is the issuance of new bonds, having many years to run, bearing a low rate of interest, and exchangeable upon specified terms for those now outstanding. The other course, which commends itself to my judgment as the better, is the enactment of a law repealing the tax on circulation, and permitting the banks to issue notes for an amount equal to 90 per cent of the market value, instead of, as now, the face value, of their deposited bonds. I agree with the secretary in the belief that the adoption of this plan will afford the necessary relief.

TRADE DOLLARS.

The trade dollar was coined for the purpose of traffic in countries where silver passed at its value ascertained by weight and fineness. It never had a legal tender quality. Large numbers of these coins entered, however, into the volume of our currency ...

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authority of the acts of August 5, 1882, and March 3, 1883, the work of strengthening our navy by the construction of modern vessels has been auspiciously begun. Three cruisers are in process of construction—the Chicago, of 4500 tons displacement, and the Boston and Atlanta, of 2500 tons each. They are to be built of steel, with the strength and ductility prescribed by law, and in combination of speed, endurance and armament are expected to compare favorably with the best armed vessels of their class. A fourth vessel, the Dolphin, is to be constructed of similar material, and is intended to serve as a fleet dispatch boat. The double-turreted monitors Puritan, Amphitrite and Terror have been launched on the Delaware river, and a contract has been made for the supply of their machinery. A similar monitor, the Monadnock, has been launched in California. The naval advisory board and the secretary recommend the completion of the monitors, the construction of four gunboats, and also of three additional steel vessels, like the Chicago, Boston and Dolphin, as an important measure of national defense. The secretary urges also the immediate creation of an interior coast line of water ways across the peninsula of Florida, along the coast from Florida to Hampton roads, between the Chesapeake bay and the Delaware river, and through Cape Cod. I feel bound to impress upon the attention of congress the necessity of continued progress in the reconstruction of the navy. The condition of the public treasury, as I have already intimated, makes the present an auspicious time for putting this branch of service in a state of efficiency. It is no part of our policy to create and maintain a navy able to cope with those of the other great powers of the world. We have no wish for foreign conquest, and the peace which we have long enjoyed is in no seeming danger of interruption. But that our naval strength should be made adequate for the defense of our harbors, the protection of our commercial interests, and the maintenance of our national honor is a proposition from which no patriotic citizen can withhold his assent.

THE POSTOFFICE DEPARTMENT.

The report of the postmaster general contains a gratifying exhibit of the condition and prospects of this interesting branch of the public service committed to his care. It appears that on June 30, 1883, the whole number of postoffices was 47,863, of which 1162 were established during the last past fiscal year. The number of offices operating under the system of free delivery was 154. At the latter offices the postage on local matter amounted to $4,522,... exceeding by $1,021,894.01, the entire cost of the carriers' service of the country. The rate of postage on drop letters passing through these offices is now fixed by law at 2 cents per half ounce or fraction thereof. In offices where the carrier system has not been established the rate is only half as large. It will be remembered that in 1863, when the free delivery was first established by law, the uniform single rate of postage upon local letters was one cent, and so it remained until 1872, when in those cities where carrier service was established it was increased to defray the expense of such service. It seems to me that the old rate may now with propriety be restored, and that, too, even at the risk of diminishing for a time, at least, the receipts from postage upon local letters. I can see no reason why that particular class of mail matter should be held at fault in the tax for the entire cost, not only of its own collection and delivery, but the collection and delivery of all other classes, and I am confident, from a full consideration of the subject, that the reduction of that would be followed by such a growth in the business as to occasion but slight and temporary loss to the revenues of the postoffices.

THE POSTAL TELEGRAPH SCHEME DISCOURAGED.

The postmaster general devotes much of his report to the consideration, in its various phases, of government telegraph service. As the result of reflection I have been able to give this subject since my last annual message has not led me to change the views I then expressed, dissenting from the recommendation of the postmaster general that the government shall assume the control over the telegraph which it has already exercised over the mail. Admitting that its authority in the premises is as ample as it has ever been claimed for it, it would not, in my judgment, be a wise use of that authority to purchase or assume the control of existing telegraph lines, or to construct others with a view of entering into general competition with private enterprises. The objections which may be justly urged against either of these projects, and indeed against any system ...

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vestment and to reasonable freedom in their regulations must be recognized, but it seems only just, so far as its constitutional authority will permit, that congress should protect the people at large in their inter-state traffic against acts of injustice, which the state governments are powerless to prevent.

[At this point the wires to the south went down, preventing the sending of the remainder of the message, which will probably occupy two more columns of this paper.]

NEWS OF THE NORTHWEST.

Washington Territory.

Seattle Herald: News reached the city this morning that M. P. Hopkins, who was shot by Philip Slaughter, an account of which appeared in last evening's Herald, died of his wounds. The deceased leaves a wife and family, and was regarded by those who knew him as a kind husband and an upright law-abiding citizen.

La Center correspondence: Lewis river has been very high since the heavy rain storm of last week, doing some damage, the most notable of which was the breaking loose of a boom of logs about 400,000 feet, belonging to El Martin. He has a crew of men down the Columbia catching them and has already secured about one half.

Yakima Signal: Land hunting and settlement in the vicinity of Prosser Falls and Kennewick, on the lower Yakima, goes bravely on. This week a party of Finlanders filed on land both north and south of the falls, and several thousand acres more were taken up by other parties. The prospect of a good town with the railroad running through it, richness of the land and excellent climate all unite in making that section of country an attractive one for settlers.

During the month of November 20,074 tons of coal have been shipped from Seattle. In mentioning this fact the Post-Intelligencer says: "All of the coal, except the cargo of the Detroit, was from the Newcastle mines, which produced 17,... tons, in addition to local sales, consumption of steam vessels, etc. The export of the current month promises to at least equal those of the last, in which event the trade of the year will approach the grand total of 220,000 tons."

The town of Asotin, the county seat of the newly created county of the same name, is said to be a point of unusual promise. It is situated at the head of navigation on Snake river and is backed by a fine agricultural country. It is seven miles from the city of Lewiston, with which place it is connected by a wagon road as well as by the river. The town is in its infancy but is growing rapidly, and now that it has become a seat of government it will, no doubt, become a place of considerable importance.

Walla Walla Union: Saturday morning a Chinaman named Ling Gee had his leg cut off above the knee, while trying to board a gravel train in the Walla Walla yards. The Chinaman expired a few minutes after the accident. It appears that the Chinaman was late, and the train started for the gravel beds. Not wishing to lose half a day's work, he attempted to board the moving train, when, losing his hold and balance, he fell in front of the car wheels with the result above stated.

A match shoot took place at La Center, W. T., by ... the same place, with A. J. Culbertson and D. F. Farmer as captains. The losing side, led by B. F. Tanner, gave a supper and dance to the winning side. The two poorest shots in the three proved to be the high men on their respective sides; namely, A. Dubos on the losing side scored 16 ... out of 255 made by his side, and ... Lockwood scored 1.0 points out of 442 made by his side.

Montana.

Real estate sales in the vicinity of the depot at Helena foot up at the present date $33,000.

It is stated that the Colusa copper property at Butte has been sold in England for $1,500,000.

At the present time several distinguished parties from the east are visiting the upper Yellowstone.

The tax levy in Custer county is this fall twenty-two mills on the dollar and the assessed valuation is $4,317,... 91.

It is regarded as almost a certainty that the Denver and Rio Grande railroad will be extended from Og...

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Eastern Oregon.

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Western Oregon.

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TO-DAY'S DISPATCHES.

DIED ALONE.

A Woman, Claiming to be a Relative of the Marquis of Lorne and the Duke of Argyle, Dies Miserably from Want.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The coroner this afternoon held an inquest to inquire into the cause of the death of Mrs. Mary Hyde, aged 60 years, who lived as a recluse for years and died alone. A verdict was rendered that death resulted from a combination of asthma and want of nourishment and drink. She claimed to be a niece of the duke of Argyle and cousin to the marquis of Lorne. A separation from clan Campbell, to which she belonged, was caused by her marrying below her station. Her husband was murdered by Indians on the overland route to California thirty-five years ago. Returning to Chicago, she possessed considerable property as a music teacher, but took to drinking and dissipation.

The Canines Unleashed.

MEMPHIS, Dec. 3.—The fifth annual field trials of the National American Kennel Club began to-day at Grand Junction. There was a large attendance of sportsmen from the north, east and south. The general opinion is that never has there been such a grand lot of field dogs engaged at any previous trial. There are twenty-seven entries in the all age stakes, which commence to-day. To-day's results are: Clipper beat ...; Nellie B. beat Coleman's London; ... B. beat Maud W.; ... beat Major Doxtile by ...

Sent to the Asylum.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—Times Utica, N. Y., special says: Edward S. Martin, formerly business manager of the Boston Opera company, who became insane in a sleeping car near Utica, N. Y., and threw out of the window all his clothing except an overcoat, and who was taken in charge by trainmen, has been sent to the asylum.

Fence Cutters at Work.

GALVESTON, Dec. 3.—News' Austin special: T. E. Harrison, stock raiser and banker of Tom Green county, informed the governor to-day that twenty miles of his fence has been destroyed by fence cutters, and also 10,000 posts and two car loads of wire were burned with his hay and other property.

The Dance Halls Must Go.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—A Times Topeka, Kansas, special says: For the first time in seven years the dance halls in Dodge City are closed, and Mayor Dyer intends to preserve enough extra police to keep them closed.

Senator Anthony Improving.

NEW YORK, Dec. 3.—The condition of Senator Anthony is very encouraging. No doubts are now entertained of his ultimate recovery. It is thought he will soon be able to leave for Washington.

Brutally Murdered.

NEW HAVEN, Conn., Nov. 3.—Eldridge F. P. Johnson, a farmer of Madison, was found dead near a coal pit with his skull crushed, and one leg burned nearly off.

Silver Mines Discovered.

CHICAGO, Dec. 3.—The Times' Milwaukee special says that W. Isaac Newell of Eau Claire, Wis., has discovered a silver mine thirty-five miles from that city.

TURKEY.

TURKEY MUST NOT INTERFERE.

CONSTANTINOPLE, Dec. 3.—Marquis de Noailles, the French ambassador, has been instructed by his government to inform the porte that under no conditions will France allow Turkey to intervene in Tonquin.

ENGLAND.

RAISED TO A PEERAGE.

LONDON, Dec. 3.—The Morning Post says it is probable that Tennyson will shortly be raised to a peerage.

FRANCE.

BY ... CONTRADICTED.

PARIS, Dec. 3.—The Chinese embassy deny the evacuation of Bac Ninh, and ridicule the New York ...

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SOUTHERN OREGON NAMES.

To the Editor of the Oregonian:

The correspondence published in THE DAILY OREGONIAN by "Pioneer," Colonel Nesmith and Mr. C. Fullerton on the 16th and 23d inst., concerning the origin of the name of the creek, which, running west between the two stony ridges in the northern part of Josephine county called "Grave Creek hills," crosses the old trail and road between Oregon and California and empties into Rogue river about twenty miles from there, tempts me to add something by way of addition and correction, but not controversy.

The first immigration that entered Oregon from the south was the ill-fated one of 1846. Among the number was a young woman named Leland Crowley, who died at the crossing of this creek and was buried there by her family and friends, who took the precaution, as I am informed by an eye witness of the scene, to burn brush over her grave and then corral the cattle upon it so as to prevent the Indians from discovering and robbing it upon the supposition that it was a cache.

Thereafter the travel on this trail increased, particularly after the discovery of gold in California, in 1848, and this beautiful stream, which was a favorite camping place, from the circumstance of this lone grave upon its bank, came to be called "Grave creek," and the noted ridges on either side of it the "Grave creek hills."

In the winter of 1853-4, the territorial legislature engaged somewhat in the business of changing the names of places and streams. For instance, Marysville was changed to Corvallis; Albany to Takenah; Sandy river to Gold river, and Salem came within one vote, I believe, of being changed to Chemeketa, the old Indian name for the creek on which the Mission mill was built and the Wallamet woolen mill was afterwards erected.

On January 4, 1854, an act was passed declaring that the creek commonly called "Grave creek" be changed to the name of Leland creek, in memory of Miss Leland Crowley.

The bill for this act was introduced into the council on January 5, 1854, by Judge Fullerton of Polk county, and the Statesman of the 10th of that month, in its report of the legislative proceedings, contains the following reference to it:

"Mr. Fullerton moved to change the name of Grave creek to Leland creek, in honor of Miss Leland Crowley, a lady who died and was buried on that creek from the first emigration that ever came upon it. It originally took its name from this circumstance."

I first saw this isolated and romantic spot on Saturday, September 8, 1853.

There had been a sudden Indian outbreak on the upper Rogue river in August of that year, which had, so far, ended in a fight and a truce at Battle or Evans' creek, on the 24th of that month, in which the Indians were led by Chief Joseph and the whites by General Joseph Lane.

In September I left my farm in the Umpqua and started for Jacksonville on horseback, to hold the United States district court there. At the Umpqua canyon I overtook Lieutenant, now ex-Senator, Grover, with the advance of Colonel Nesmith's company, hastening to the scene of war. He shared his blankets with me that night on the bank of the south Umpqua. The next night we slept at Levens' on Cow creek, after a day of drenching rain. Late on the morning of Saturday, the third, I left Levens', Grover remaining behind to await a portion of his command.

At Grave creek I stopped to feed my horse and get something to eat. There was a house there, called "Bates' house," after the man who kept it. It was a rough wooden structure without a floor, and had an immense clapboard funnel at one end, which served as a chimney. There was no house or settlement within ten or twelve miles or more of it.

There I found Captain J. K. Lamerick, in command of a company of volunteers. It seems he had been sent there by General Lane after the fight at Evans' creek, on account of the murder of some Indians there, of which he and others gave me the following account:

Bates and some others had, indirectly, a small party of peaceable Indians who belonged to that vicinity, to enter into an engagement to remain in peace with the whites during the war which was going on at some distance from them, and by way of ratification ...

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THE PRESIDENT'S MESSAGE.

The message was received by telegraph at a late hour last evening and we are able only to call attention briefly to some of its most important recommendations. Beginning with matters of local interest it will be noticed that the president favors the establishment at once of a civil government for Alaska. He refers approvingly to Secretary Teller's recommendations respecting Indian affairs and the prevention of frauds under the pension laws and the repeal of the pre-emption and timber culture acts. He thinks the evils resulting from the reciprocity treaty with the Hawaiian government have been exaggerated but says the provisions of the treaty should be modified wherever they have proved damaging to legitimate trade between the countries. The Chinese officials, he thinks will co-operate with the United States in securing the faithful observance of the law restricting Chinese immigration and that therefore there is no cause for alarm because a few laborers from the flowery kingdom have come here in violation of it.

One of the most important and radical recommendations of the message is the repeal of the act upon which the territorial government of Utah depends and the resumption by congress of the entire political control of the territory. He is convinced that polygamy is so strongly intrenched that it is profitless to attack it with any but the stoutest weapons which constitutional legislation can devise. This is the first time a president has struck at the root of the evil, and if his recommendation is promptly followed by a law authorizing the appointment of a commission for the government of the territory the doom of mormonism is sealed.

Referring to statistics of illiteracy, the president wisely suggests that federal aid should be extended to public primary education where provision for it is not adequately made by the states. He is opposed to a government telegraph, mainly because it is undesirable to increase the civil list to the extent that would require but thinks the government should be authorized by law to exercise some sort of supervision over this interstate communication. He is more radical in his treatment of the railway question recognizing the great evils resulting from the power of railroad managers over the business of the country and he advises that congress, just so far as it has constitutional authority should protect the people at large in their inter-state traffic against acts of injustice which the state governments are powerless to prevent.

The president thinks that satisfactory results will follow the reduction of letter postage and recommends a return to the old rate of one cent on drop letters in towns where there is a free delivery by carriers. He advises that trade dollars should be retired by a provision for their redemption as bullion by the treasury. He thinks that good has resulted from the new civil service law and is pleased with its operations.

He recalls the recommendation of his last message that all excise taxes except those on distilled spirits should be abolished and that substantial reductions should also be made in taxes on imports and while he thinks that further reductions might be wisely made he does not advise radical or sweeping changes in existing laws in the interval which must elapse before the effects of the act of March 3 1883 can be definitely ascertained. If there is still a large surplus then it may be largely expended upon harbor defenses and the increase of our navy. He is in favor of repealing the tax on the circulation of national banks and so changing the banking law that the banks may issue bills for an amount equal to 90 per cent of the market value instead of as now the full value of deposited bonds.

The message is an admirable one and the radical recommendations for the destruction of polygamy, and for the recovery by congress of the powers of sovereignty which have been usurped by the railroads as well as other wise suggestions display great sagacity in the president and they will be read with great satisfaction by the people. We shall refer more at length to some of these suggestions hereafter.

LOCAL UNITY OF STATES.

Discussion of the proposition to divide Washington territory naturally suggests a wide scheme of division to involve the whole of the northwest. The original arrangement of state and territorial lines was made when the country was undeveloped when many parts of it were even uninhabited and without proper understanding of the natural relations of the various sections to each other. The unhappy result of the divisions of eastern and western Washington, while the most conspicuous, is not the only instance where the lack of community of interests has produced discord. Eastern and western Oregon have always gotten along together very decently but they have little in common save the state government and the judiciary, and as the eastern counties receive population and as their resources are developed, it will be found that the interests of the two sections will clash to a greater or less extent. On the other hand, the northern counties of eastern Oregon and the southern counties of eastern Washington being in close neighborhood and with almost identical industrial interests have often felt the need of social and legislative co-operation—impracticable while under different governments. Instances showing the awkwardness of the present arrangement might be multiplied, but these two sufficiently illustrate disadvantages which it was impossible to foresee when the northwest was parceled into territories and states. And with the progress of development and the growth of sectional interests the discords of unnatural and forced relations will be more seriously felt. Disadvantages which can but just be discerned now will become serious misfortunes and under their burden communities which might live in peace and friendship as neighbors will quarrel as political brethren, and others which might live in concord in the family relation will be kept at war with each other as neighbors.

It was proposed many years ago to divide both Oregon and Washington territory upon the line of the Cascade mountains and to make two east facing states of the dismembered sections that of Oregon to extend from the straits of Fuca to the California line, and that of Washington to occupy the whole region east of the mountains. This scheme which THE OREGONIAN approved and which we still think better than the present arrangement, found many advocates, but through inattention rather than through serious objection to it it came to nothing. But the general idea of the old proposition—to unite the sections having common and neighborhood interests—was a good and is still a good one and it might advantageously be applied at the present time.

We believe that an arrangement something like the following would be a vast improvement over the present division of the northwest. Let Oregon be that part of the present Oregon west of the Cascade mountains and between the Columbia river and the California line. Let Tacoma be that part of the present Washington between the straits of Fuca and the Columbia river west of the Cascades, let that part of the present Washington east of the Cascade mountains and north of the Columbia and Snake rivers with the panhandle of Idaho and the western part of Montana be organized into one territory called Idaho, and let that part of Oregon east of the Cascades, with that part of Washington south of Snake river and the whole of southern Idaho be organized into another territory called Walla Walla. Perhaps even a further division of the eastern sections would be desirable but that could be safely postponed.

All this of course is mere speculation but it is worth being well considered. It is no pleasant to live in a quarrel with our neighbor either personal or political and it is desirable that the northwest, one of the great divisions of the Federal Union should be united. Its force in national affairs should not be destroyed or weakened by local discord and these would be most valuable under existing relations when the country shall be further developed. And there is a good point in the suggestion made a day or two ago that the more senators we have as a section of the Union the more weight we shall have in national legislation. As to the division of Oregon that of course would have to be made by the state legislature. And in the cutting off of West Virginia from the Old Dominion in 1861 and the cutting off of Maine from Massachusetts in 1820 there are respectable precedents for such action.

The most independent man in congress is Colonel Theodore Lyman who was elected to the house last fall from the ninth Massachusetts district on a civil service reform platform by the combined votes of democrats and republicans. His father was mayor of Boston in 1834-35 and was prominent in his approval of the early popular meetings of the abolitionist. Colonel Lyman was a professor of Agassiz and for several years was one of the fish commissioners of Massachusetts. He is a very accomplished gentleman. He will not train with either party in congress, but he made a good beginning by voting for Governor elect Robinson for speaker.

Many people will regret to hear that Mr Carl Schurz has retired from the New York Evening Post and probably from journalism, for it is stated that he leaves the Post because the confining and somewhat grinding work of the editor is irksome to him. This is another illustration of the fact that no business can be administered without friction by more than one head.

In a communication printed on another page Judge Deady corrects the errors of a recent correspondent with respect to certain local names in southern Oregon. It is almost needless to say that Judge Deady says [illegible] he is not certain about.

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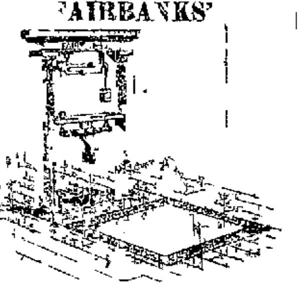

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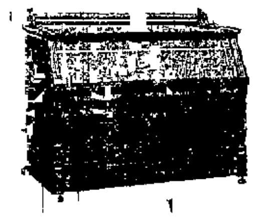

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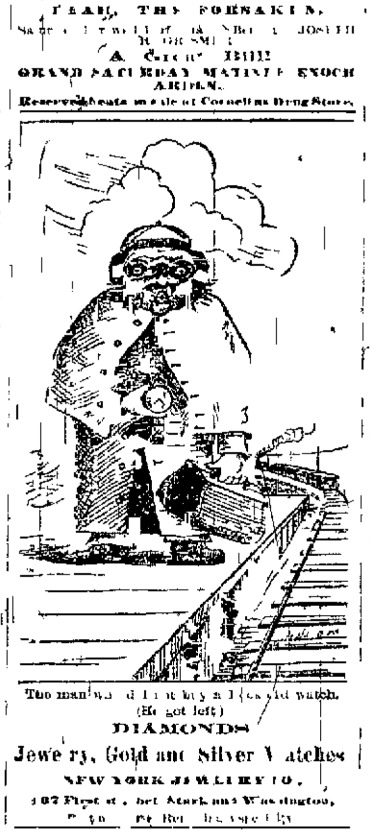

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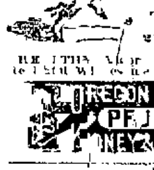

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Masquerade Costumes and Theatrical Costumes for Rent
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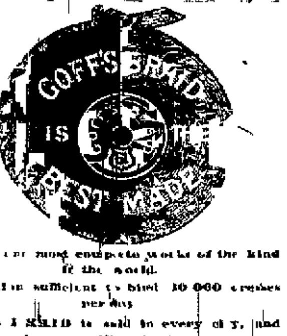
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SEEDS! [illegible] SEEDS!
[illegible]
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[illegible]
Portland, Or.—P. O. Box 83.

TO LET—ROOMS.

FURNISHED [illegible]

NICE FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT IN [illegible]

ROOMS FOR RENT, [illegible]

FOR RENT—[illegible] FRONT ROOM [illegible]

TO LET—TWO NICELY FURNISHED FRONT rooms [illegible]

TO RENT WITH [illegible] TWO ROOMS [illegible]

TO LET—NICELY FURNISHED [illegible]

UNFURNISHED ROOMS [illegible]

NICE FURNISHED [illegible]

TO LET—ONE [illegible]

FOR RENT [illegible] SECOND FLOOR [illegible]

FRONT ROOM [illegible]

TO PHYSICIANS [illegible]

TO [illegible]

TO RENT [illegible]

TO RENT [illegible]

UNFURNISHED [illegible]

THE [illegible]

ROOMS AND BOARD.

THOSE DESIRING [illegible]

FOR [illegible] HANDSOME [illegible]

FURNISHED ROOMS WITH BOARD [illegible]

FOR [illegible]

PLEASANT FURNISHED ROOMS TO RENT [illegible]

TO LET—HOUSES AND STORES.

A NEW [illegible] ROOMED HOUSE [illegible]

FOR RENT—THREE NEW FIVE ROOM [illegible]

FOR RENT [illegible]

A NEW [illegible]

THREE [illegible] HOUSES [illegible]

FURNISHED COTTAGE FOR RENT [illegible]

FOR RENT—TWO [illegible]

TO LET—NEW TWO-STORY HOUSE OF [illegible]

FOR RENT.

THE [illegible] RESIDENCE [illegible]

CITY [illegible]

FARM FOR RENT [illegible]

RETAIL [illegible]

D[illegible]

DIARIES FOR '84.
Christmas [illegible]
FANCY GOODS.

Our [illegible] of Fine Goods have been received and we pronounce it the Choicest Selection of Fine Pieces ever in the city. There are no duplicates of selected pieces.

J. K. GILL & CO.,
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BLUMENTHAL'S TRUNK PALACE
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BIG BARGAINS IN LADIES' FINE SATCHELS.
105 FIRST STREET,
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If you contemplate Insuring Your Life, take a Policy in The
MUTUAL LIFE INSURANCE CO. OF NEW YORK,
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Organized in 1842. Cash Assets, $100,000,000
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Writing Lessons
Afternoon and Evening at the
PORTLAND BUSINESS COLLEGE,
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LUCIA MILLS,
VANCOUVER, W. T.
Lumber, Lath and Shingles.
[illegible]
EUGENE SEMPLE, Manager.

[illegible]

FOR SALE.

A GOOD BARGAIN—A NICE LITTLE HOME for sale [illegible] Room 14 [illegible] Washington st.

FOR SALE—THE FURNITURE AND LEASE [illegible] WOODS [illegible]

[illegible]

SODA WATER MACHINERY, TWO COUNTER [illegible] NORTHRUP & [illegible]

SPLENDID OPENING FOR A DRUGGIST AND [illegible]

FOR SALE—[illegible] LOTS IN HIS [illegible]

FOR SALE—REAL ESTATE.

D[illegible] FOR SALE [illegible] ACRES ON [illegible]

FOR SALE [illegible]

M[illegible] Terms of sale: [illegible] Apply in person or by letter to the [illegible]

BUSINESS SPECIALS.

[illegible]—MADAM BOGGARTH [illegible] from 10 A. M. until 9 P. M. 165 Washington street.

STEAMERS TO VISIT THE BRITISH SHIP [illegible] BALFOUR, GUTHRIE & CO.

JUST RECEIVED—A CHOICE LOT OF SMOKED hams and shoulders. McCRAKEN & MASON.

BEST FORTUNE TELLER 308 FIRST ST. [illegible] Ladies 50c, gents $1.

J. K. WILSON, S. W. COR. FIRST AND OAK, Bookseller and Stationer. Leading newspapers and periodicals in stock. Subscriptions a specialty.

MRS. WHARTON HAIR-DOCTRESS CURES all diseases of the hair and scalp [illegible] hair goods, Langtry curls and wigs [illegible] 11 [illegible] Morrison st.

J. T. MERRILL AND JESSE COULTER, CONtractors and Builders [illegible]

LESSONS GIVEN IN KENSINGTON [illegible] 62 First st.

PROFESSIONAL CARDS.

DR. O. DUNNING WISHES TO INFORM THE public [illegible]

SPECIAL DENTAL NOTICE—IN COMPLIANCE [illegible] First and [illegible] streets.

W. [illegible] M. D. SUCCESSOR TO DR. R. [illegible] homoeopathic physician [illegible]

MILLINERY AND FANCY DRY GOODS.

[illegible]
HILDEBRAND & ANDERSON.
IMPORTERS OF
FINE MILLINERY.
28 Third st., bet. Oak and Pine, Portland, Or.
[illegible]

Just Received!
A FULL ASSORTMENT OF
Misses and Children's Cloaks,
HAVELOCK AND NEWMARKETS,
MISSES AND CHILDREN'S SUITS
—IN—
SILK and VELVET,
Cashmere and Ladies' Cloth
[illegible]
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103 FIRST ST
[illegible]
Millinery Goods
OF
ALL LATEST STYLES AND NOVELTIES.
The ladies are invited to call.

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Hodge, Davis & Co.
Importing
Wholesale Druggists
[illegible]
Nos. 92 and 94 Front Street
[illegible]
Portland, Oregon

CANDIES! REDUCTION!
[illegible] STICK CANDY [illegible]
BERNHEIM & [illegible]
Factory and Store, 84 First St., bet. Stark and Oak.
[illegible]

WHAT IS IT?

CANDLE FISH, or OOLACHAN is a species of fish [illegible] It has a rich, delicious flavor, and all who try it pronounce it superior to the sardine. It is smoked and sugar cured and packed in hermetically sealed cans. Although a novelty, it has met with large sales. All who have not tasted Candle Fish should do so at once.

FOR SALE BY ALL GROCERS.
E. FELDMANN & CO.,
IMPORTERS AND WHOLESALE DEALERS IN [illegible] willow ware [illegible]
127 FRONT ST., PORTLAND OREGON

HOMES HOMES HOMES!

For Sale! Lots, Blocks and small tracts, by the Southern Portland Association in their Addition on the Macadam road. Terms [illegible] payable in installments to suit purchasers. IRA [illegible] Secretary South Portland Association, Room 8 No. 105 [illegible] street.

[illegible] LOWEST PRICES
THIRD STREET

CHEAPEST
Jewelry, Watches, Silverware, Table Cutlery, etc.
—AT—
I. MILLER'S, 129 First Street.

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GILMAN & CO., AUCTIONEERS & COMMISSION [illegible] No. 42 First st., bet. [illegible]

AUCTION SALES OF REAL ESTATE [illegible] General Merchandise [illegible] REGULAR SALE DAYS [illegible] Fridays at 10 o'clock A. M.

MAGNIFICENT COLLECTION
JAPANESE ART TREASURES
—IMPORTED BY—
C. T. MARSH & CO. OF SAN FRANCISCO
—TO BE SOLD AT—
PUBLIC AUCTION,
Without Limit or Reserve,
ON WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 5, [illegible]
251 First St., between Main and [illegible]
GILMAN & CO. AUCTIONEERS
NOW ON EXHIBITION [illegible]

MAPS.
A lot of the latest and most complete [illegible] PORTLAND and vicinity made by [illegible] will be sold by auction, upon Friday, December [illegible] 1883, at our salesroom at 10 A. M.
GILMAN & CO., Auctioneers.

T. J. O'CONNOR,
Auctioneer & Commission [illegible]
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Monday and Thursday, Furniture [illegible]
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IF YOU WANT TO BUY OR SELL [illegible] Office [illegible] between Front and First, Portland.

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Dealer in every description of
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Lowest prices. [illegible]
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HUNDREDS TO CHOOSE FROM.
The largest Manufacturers of Mattresses on the Pacific Coast.
Hotels Supplied at a Liberal Discount.
PACIFIC SPRING AND MATTRESS CO.
213 Second and 47 Salmon Sts., Portland.
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ARCHITECTS AND ENGINEERS.

L. W. BROWN, CIVIL ENGINEER [illegible] hydraulic, bridge and [illegible] surveying. Room 1 [illegible] Third and Oak streets, Portland, Oregon.

R. W. & T. H. [illegible] CIVIL ENGINEERS AND DRAUGHTSMEN. Special Attention given to [illegible] Room 2 Ainsworth Block. [illegible]

COMMISSION MERCHANTS.

MULLER & WEST—(J. C. MILLER, [illegible]) commission merchants [illegible] 111 Front st., between Washington and [illegible]

S. GOLDMAN & CO. COMMISSION [illegible] merchants 123 Front street, Portland [illegible]

TAYLOR YOUNG & CO. SHIP [illegible] Commission merchants, agents for [illegible] River Candle Fish. 16 North Front street.

ABRAHAM HIRSTEL & CO., COMMISSION merchants 2 and 4 N. Front st., Portland.

G. JOHN & BRO. 171 FRONT STREET [illegible] and country produce a specialty. [illegible]

ALLEN & LEWIS COMMISSION [illegible] Merchants, cor N. Front and [illegible] Portland, Oregon.

C. [illegible] & CO. COMMISSION MERCHANTS and dealers in wheat, wool [illegible] Front street, Portland Or.

SIBSON, CHURCH & CO. SHIPPING and commission Merchants [illegible] grain bags, etc. N. W. cor Front and [illegible] Portland, Or.

WHOLESALE GROCERS.

ABRAHAM HIRSTEL & CO., WHOLESALE grocers, 14 N. Front street, Portland [illegible]

ALLEN & LEWIS WHOLESALE GROCERS, cor. N. Front and D sts., Portland, Or.

CORBITT & MACLEAY WHOLESALE grocers and Commission Merchants [illegible] street, Portland.

McCRAKEN & MASON—WHOLESALE grocers and Commission Merchants [illegible] Front street, Portland.

WADHAMS & ELLIOTT, WHOLESALE grocers, Forwarding and Commission Merchants. Nos. 46 and 48 Front street, Portland, Or.

GUNPOWDER.

CHAS. H. DODD & CO. AGENTS [illegible] Works Front, First and [illegible] Portland [illegible]

CORBITT, FAILING & CO., AGENTS [illegible] point's Gunpowder [illegible] and Oregon.

MILL AND FARM MACHINERY.

KNAPP BURRELL & CO., WHOLESALE [illegible] machinery and dealers in agricultural implements, farm and spring wagons, buggies, etc., portable and stationary engines, [illegible] grist mill machinery a specialty; rubber and [illegible] belting.

GOW WATERHOUSE, JR., PRACTICAL [illegible] wright and Mill Builder. [illegible] Roller Millers a specialty. [illegible] Mills Machinery. Salem, Oregon.

H. [illegible] & CO., [illegible] Importers and [illegible] mill machinery, saw mills a specialty. [illegible]

CHAS. H. DODD & CO., SOLE AGENTS [illegible] the Mower and Reaper, Canton [illegible] Header & Butler Wagons, Front [illegible]

J. HONEYMAN & CO., MAKERS OF [illegible] boilers, Grist and Sawmills, Iron [illegible] Castings etc. Front sts. bet. [illegible]

JOS. WAGNER & CO. FLOURING [illegible] exclusively, all kinds of flouring mill [illegible] 18 Front St. [illegible]

HARDWARE, IRON AND STEEL.

THOMPSON, DE HART & CO., [illegible] Iron and Steel, Carriage and Wagon [illegible] Domestic and Blacksmiths' Coal, [illegible] Yamhill streets, Portland, Oregon.

CHAS. H. DODD & CO. IMPORTERS [illegible] Iron, First and Vine streets [illegible]

CORBITT, FAILING & CO., IMPORTERS [illegible] Front street [illegible] gon.

FOSTER & ROBERTSON, IMPORTERS [illegible] Nos. 88 and 90 Front street, Portland [illegible]

HARNESS AND SADDLERY.

P. J. CRONIN, IMPORTER AND [illegible] turer of harness and saddles [illegible] Front [illegible]

CIGARS AND TOBACCO.

WILZINSKI, BROS. & CO. [illegible] dealers in fine cigars, 147 Front [illegible] branch of Seidman, Lachman & Co. [illegible]

MANTELS AND CHANDELIERS.

FOSTER & ROBERTSON—MARBLE [illegible] and slate mantels, agents for [illegible] gas fixtures, 88 and 90 Front st., [illegible]

WHOLESALE BOOTS AND SHOES.

GEORGE L. HIBBARD & CO. WHOLESALE boots and shoes. No. 85 Front st. [illegible]

PAINTS, OILS AND GLASS.

[illegible] & CO. WHOLESALE [illegible] retail dealers in paints, oils and glass [illegible] Portland.

WHOLESALE DRY GOODS.

MELLIS BROS. & CO., FANCY DRY GOODS and millinery, N. [illegible] Front St.

SCALES.

FOSTER & ROBERTSON, AGENTS FOR [illegible] Bros. & Co. Standard Scales [illegible] Nos. 88 and 90 Front street.

SHIPS' NOTICES.

SHIP "SOVEREIGN OF THE SEAS" FROM NEW YORK.
A. H. WOOD, Master.

Consignees of freight by the above vessel will please call upon the undersigned [illegible] all freight [illegible] will be stored at the expense and risk of [illegible] ALLEN & LEWIS [illegible]

SCHOOL TAXES—THE TAX ROLL OF [illegible] District No. 1 is now in the hands of the Clerk for collection at 52 [illegible] street [illegible] Third [illegible] Taxes will be received until [illegible] evening.
W. M. [illegible]

The Daily Oregonian.

[illegible]DAY MORNING DEC. 5, 1883.

[illegible] at the Postoffice at Portland, Or., as second class matter.

SUBSCRIPTION RATES.
[illegible] PREPAID—IN ADVANCE.

[illegible] per month	$ 1 00
[illegible]	1 2[illegible]
Sunday Oregonian, per year	10 00
Daily Oregonian, per year	12 00
Sunday Oregonian, per year	2 5[illegible]
Weekly Oregonian, per year	4 00
Weekly Oregonian, per year	3 00
[illegible] to city subscribers	
[illegible] week, delivered, Sundays excepted	25c
[illegible] week, delivered, Sundays included	[illegible]

METEOROLOGICAL REPORT.

PORTLAND, Dec. 4, 7:57 P. M.

[illegible]	Baro[illegible]	Change last 8 Hours.	Ther.	Wind Direction	Rain fall inches	State of weather.
[illegible]	29.91	—06	41	S	.00	[illegible]
[illegible]	29.79	—09	44	E	.12	Lt r'n
[illegible]	30.03	08	39	E	.00	Foggy
[illegible]	30.04	14	48	S	.00	Clear
[illegible]	30.04	14	48	E	.00	Clear
[illegible]	29.77	—03	47	S	.10	Lt r'n

[illegible] ther. 45; minimum [illegible]. [illegible] by, 11 miles per hour, south.

CITY.

[illegible] TRADE DOLLARS.—A gentleman who [illegible] San Francisco by yesterday's steamer [illegible] counterfeit trade dollar of new coinage [illegible] extensively circulated in the Bay city. [illegible] counterfeit coin ever made and almost [illegible] In appearance it does not differ from [illegible] from the genuine, is equally heavy [illegible] ringing. It is made of silver and German [illegible] and contains more than 40 per cent pure [illegible] only means of detection is in the third [illegible] being a trifle thicker than the [illegible] the difference is so slight, that [illegible] person the quick [illegible] not easily discover the fraud. One [illegible] San Francisco accepted twenty of the counterfeits in one day, and examination of the [illegible] they had been receiving the [illegible] for several days [illegible]. It is supposed a very large amount of the counterfeits [illegible] circulation and that they were manufactured [illegible], as nothing has been heard of such [illegible] from the east.

[illegible] AN INQUIRY.—J. B. Huntington, [illegible] of the town of Huntington, [illegible] THE OREGONIAN with the following [illegible] a specimen of the inquiries received. [illegible] reads: "I [illegible] merchant, who is [illegible] present place of residence and [illegible] want to know how you are selling [illegible] the future of your town and what [illegible] one Black Smith shop a[illegible] a hotel or any of them also gives [illegible] if it would pay to start a good weekly [illegible] all the news in general." A blacksmith [illegible] a hardware store would prove, [illegible] investments, but it is not given to [illegible] successfully a hotel and a [illegible] the Colorado inquirer had better [illegible] at once.

[illegible] AND RESCUED.—Yesterday afternoon [illegible] were rowing down the river in a [illegible] opposite [illegible] of the occupants [illegible] The recoil or awkward[illegible] overturned the boat and both young [illegible] in the river [illegible] of the [illegible] in the vicinity were called by the [illegible] accident, was noticed by the crews of [illegible] The Carrie Winslow quickly lowered [illegible] two of the boats, all well [illegible] for dear life towards the [illegible] A pleasure boat, nearer to the [illegible] reached the struggling men first [illegible] them. The gun went to the bottom [illegible] young men would give his name and [illegible] to the reporter who saw the [illegible] they will do their winter shooting [illegible] than [illegible] boat.

[illegible]—About 4 o'clock yesterday after[illegible] was driving a team, and spirited [illegible] invited "Doc" Doughty, a bar[illegible] to a ride. Doughty [illegible] drove down First street. "Doc" [illegible] drove the animal [illegible], but was [illegible] not safe. He laughed at the idea, [illegible] When he reached Newmarket [illegible] wheeled suddenly and Doughty [illegible] first, against a hitching-post, and [illegible] Dr. Wheeler was called to his [illegible] showed that his skull was [illegible] concussion of the brain, [illegible] suffering from hemorrhage [illegible] he fell on a pile of [illegible] piece of his neck, injur[illegible] He was conveyed to St. Vincent's [illegible] o'clock last night he was thought [illegible] hardly possible for him to live [illegible].

[illegible] DEBRIS.—The sidewalk on the [illegible] Washington street, between Front and [illegible] impassable on account of debris [illegible] the old [illegible] block have left. [illegible] Second, near Washington, [illegible] Alder, and half a dozen other [illegible] buildings which have been [illegible] A builder's permit should [illegible] as to allow obstruction of street [illegible] months after a building is fin[illegible] not be heeded, the council [illegible] or ordinance, should order [illegible] to abate the nuisances. Ne[illegible] enough annoyance with mud, [illegible] unless absolutely neces[illegible] at once.

[illegible]—Towards dark yesterday lounging [illegible] and St. Charles hotels were [illegible] rough and tumble fight [illegible] drunken sailors. Coming down [illegible] had a dispute, two repro[illegible] and two the other side of the dis[illegible] adjourned to a spot to settle [illegible] They [illegible] and [illegible] and fell [illegible] in the mud and pulled hair, [illegible] chewed their [illegible] fully five [illegible] happened to be about, and [illegible] to interfere. After the com[illegible] tired out, they arose and stag[illegible] street. No arrests.

[illegible].—The visit of Mr. Oakes, who [illegible] coming across the country "bran[illegible] long, dripping with gore," [illegible] in any despatches in the Post[illegible] It is understood that no changes are to [illegible] heads of departments, except [illegible] duties. Mr. Oakes is said [illegible] there has been were man[illegible] he could expect, and that no [illegible] in the clerical forces in the vari[illegible] made.

[illegible] ASSAULT.—Frank Erickson, the [illegible] that he was unlawfully confined [illegible] matter of the British ship Mallsgate, [illegible] Justice Bachweiler's court [illegible] and first officer Geo. Allen [illegible] battery. The case will be heard [illegible] Captain Edwin says there is no [illegible] to Erickson's charges but di[illegible] for prosecution, prefer[illegible] trial, when the whole truth will [illegible].

[illegible]—Complaint comes to THE OREGO[illegible] named Carter, living on South [illegible] Carothers, who have a case of [illegible] house, permit children who have [illegible] to school and to play without re[illegible] children. Carelessness in [illegible] fever and disregard of the pro[illegible] all too common in Portland. In [illegible] spread of disease too much [illegible].

[illegible].—Yesterday afternoon Justice [illegible] suit brought by R. Cleg[illegible] against C. Ryan. The plain[illegible] recover possession of the old Eagle [illegible] that Ryan had violated the terms [illegible] sub-letting portions through [illegible] damaging the property. A [illegible] in favor of the plaintiff. [illegible] be appealed.

[illegible]—Dr. Dovan, the United [illegible] St. Vincent's, is still suffering from [illegible] prospects of an [illegible] good. His physicians think [illegible] to amputate the entire finger [illegible] pain all the time, and his [illegible] beginning to tell under the suf[illegible].

[illegible] may be the name or how long [illegible] Dr. Benson's Skin Cure will [illegible] Grateful hundreds of [illegible] fact. $1, at druggists.

[illegible] OYSTERS! OYSTERS!

[illegible] is now receiving the celebrated [illegible] direct on the door try them. [illegible] eastern, also trans[illegible] always on hand.

[illegible] LUCKY MAN.

[illegible] that I was the holder of the win[illegible] Kohn's great mark down and [illegible] received the present out of [illegible] A. [illegible]PRINGLE, [illegible] with Hoteymen's Foundry. [illegible] call and get his prize.

J. KOHN.

AUXILIARY SOCIETY, G. A. R.

[illegible] mothers, widows, sisters and loyal [illegible] friends of the soldiers and sailors of [illegible] meet at the hall of George [illegible] Post, First street, between [illegible] streets, on Friday afternoon [illegible] o'clock to take into consideration [illegible] a Ladies' Auxiliary Society of the [illegible] Republic, on the plan of like or[illegible] eastern states. All the friends of [illegible] cordially invited. By order of the [illegible] commander.

[illegible]

BUSINESS ITEMS.

[illegible] Hale's Honey of Hore[illegible] for a cough or cold. [illegible] Drops cure in one minute.

REMOVAL.

[illegible] are now in their new quarters, [illegible] complete stock of [illegible] and [illegible] Anyone in need of these, [illegible] Give them a call.

[illegible] send orders for music and instru[illegible] A. [illegible] First st. Portland.

[illegible] COFFEE HOUSE.

[illegible] All Oysters in every style.

[illegible] Morrison street.

[illegible] FREEBORN & CO.,

[illegible] Paper and Art Decorations of the [illegible] only exclusive wall paper house north [illegible] Third st., opp. Masonic Temple.

[illegible] Third street, between [illegible] will close out the [illegible] and Fancy Goods formerly [illegible] at cost and less. Must [illegible] January 1, and no humbug.

[illegible] C. E. MAGOON

[illegible] stables to the corner of Third and [illegible] Headquarters well known to [illegible] Mr. Magoon was so very rea[illegible].

[illegible] QUALITY CIGARS

[illegible] Kohn's, cor. First and Oak.

COULD NOT AGREE.

Just to Whom the Bachman Furniture Belongs has not yet Been Decided—Another Jury To-Day.

The sheriff's jury summoned in the Bachman furniture case met yesterday morning at 10 o'clock in the county court room. There were present Jacob Bachman and his wife, the latter's brother, H. Schneider, S. L. Beary, M. V. Drake, counsel for Schneider, and John M. Gearin, counsel for Mrs. Bachman. The latter was sworn and testified as follows:

"I have made a written claim on the sheriff for part of the furniture in our house. The front parlor set belongs to me. It was bought at the Oregon furniture factory. I ordered them and Mr. Bachman paid for them with my money, left me by my former husband. The mirror was a present to me; the piano was a wedding present from Mr. Bachman while we were yet in San Francisco. The dining table was bought with my money. The sideboard was a present from Mr. Bachman three years ago. The silverware is wedding presents, and some I had before marriage. The carpets I bought and paid for. The front bedroom set was a present to me. Some of the pictures I owned before coming to Oregon. The sewing machine was bought and paid for by me."

A list of furniture claimed was offered to the jury and objected to by Drake as not the best evidence. He moved to strike out the oral testimony as offered as incompetent and immaterial, claiming that the statute requires that a married woman should file in the county clerk's office an inventory of her separate estate, which shall be sworn to, and the production of that should be the best evidence. Overruled by the court.

Cross-examination: "I came here in September, 1879, and brought three chairs, a lounge, a bureau, a wash stand, a towel rack, two small tables and some ornaments. This furniture was left me by my former husband, but has been in constant use by our family; have never filed in the office of the county clerk any statement or inventory of my separate estate."

"The furniture bought from the Oregon furniture factory was paid for by Mr. Bachman with my money. I had the money in the house and gave it to him, and don't remember just how much it was. I kept no account of such transactions, as I didn't think it necessary to do so with my husband. A portion of the furniture in our house is claimed by Mr. Bachman because it belonged to him. There is a bedroom set in the house that belongs to a young man who is rooming there. A marble-topped center table in the front parlor belongs to Mr. Bachman, but is claimed by him to be exempt from seizure. I never asked Mr. Bachman to buy anything for the house, but told him while I had a few dollars I preferred to purchase what I needed rather than ask him for money. He paid for things, for I preferred to leave the stores under the impression that my husband was paying them. I never paid any of the living expenses of the family until after the failure. The large mirror was a present from my brother in New York, who ordered my brother-in-law, Addie Bachman, to purchase it in San Francisco and present it to me. The carpets I purchased of Walter Bros. and had them charged to me. I don't know what is the value of the sideboard. It was a present to me from my husband. He bought it himself as a surprise. The silverware on the sideboard is all mine, consisting mainly of wedding presents. The front bedroom set was a wedding present to me from Addie Bachman. The furniture was insured but I did not pay the insurance. The sewing machine was bought and charged to me, and I paid for it with my own money. Mr. Bachman is now indebted to me to a considerable amount. All the furniture in our house, exclusive of that which belongs to the young man rooming there, is either claimed by me or by Mr. Bachman as exempt. My brother helped me to make out a list of my property at the same time Mr. Bachman was writing down what belonged to him."

Mr. Taube [illegible], manager for Walter Bros., testified that Mrs. Bachman purchased about $600 worth of carpets from the firm he represents. He did not know where the money came from to pay for the goods.

Wm. Kapus, secretary of the Oregon Furniture Manufacturing Company, summoned on behalf of the defense, stated that Mrs. Bachman purchased considerable property at that establishment, saying everything charged to Jon Bachman, who paid the money afterwards. Nothing in particular was said about having anything charged to Bachman, but that was understood as between husband and wife.

Counselor Drake stated that he wished to prove by Henry Hewett that the furniture in controversy was insured by Bachman in his own name for $4500. Mr. Gearin admitted this and Mr. Hewett was not called.

The assessment rolls of Multnomah county were then put in evidence to show that household furniture, etc., was assessed to Joe Bachman and nothing to Rosa Bachman.

This concluded the taking of testimony and the attorney for the plaintiff waived the opening argument.

Short speeches were made by both counsel, and the jury retired for deliberation. At the end of two hours they had not agreed, and announced their utter inability so to do. Consequently they were discharged. Another jury will be summoned today. It was learned that five of the jurymen were in favor of allowing Mrs. Bachman to have the piano and the other man refused to agree to that.

BRIEF MENTION.

"Enoch Arden" to-night.

Regular council meeting this evening.

The Oregon arrived here at 3:30 yesterday afternoon.

The Brunswick Social Club give a german at Turn halle to-night.

The case of Gus La Clair, charged with larceny, was continued in the police court until to-day.

Captain [illegible] of the police force is ill and his place is supplied by policeman W. A. Beaumont.

The police court record for several days past shows that a great number of vagrants now infest the city.

A cold rain set in last evening about 9 o'clock, with fair prospects of keeping at it until morning.

Carpenters are at work repairing the bark [illegible], which was considerably injured during the recent storm.

Many immigrants from eastern states, arriving daily, are purchasing farms and settling in the neighborhood of Yaquina bay.

A baker's wagon broke down yesterday morning near the postoffice on Morrison street, creating a [illegible] scattering of the staff of life.

W. S. Newbury, of Haight & Newbury, has gone to Chehalis, W. T., on business connected with land cases, and will return Thursday.

The Baptist Sunday school will have a Christmas tree and entertainment on Christmas night, December 25, in the basement of the church.

Special policeman J. C. Geer is lying dangerously ill of lingering fever at his residence, No. [illegible] Sherman street, between Sixth and Seventh.

John Martin, a youth arrested for [illegible] a policeman, was released from custody yesterday upon his promise of good behavior in the future.

The taxes on Sea View lots, near Ilwaco, are due, and parties interested will do well to remit dues to F. S. Davis, treasurer of Pacific county, at Oysterville, W. T.

All the ladies of the First Presbyterian church are requested to attend the meeting of the sewing society this afternoon in the vestry of the church, at 2:30 o'clock.

The British ship Morayshire coming up the river, drawing twenty feet, got out of the channel and ran aground at Postoffice bar. She will probably have to be lightered.

John Baumgarten, night head waiter at the Vienna, will be married to-morrow night to Miss Anton[illegible] Riegel, at the residence of Mr. and Mrs. [illegible], East Portland.

The meeting of the Woman's Christian Temperance Union will take place at 2:30 o'clock this afternoon, at their new hall on Washington street, between First and Front.

James McCann, a foul-mouthed disgrace to the human species, was yesterday sent to jail for fifteen days by Judge Moreland, for having wagged a filthy tongue too freely.

The steam ferry boat, Albina, came over from Vancouver yesterday morning, with a large amount of household furniture. This latter will be used in furnishing the hotel soon to be opened by Foster & Willis in Albina.

A grand sparring match is announced to take place at the Stark street boat house on Christmas day, open to all patrons of the place without money and without price. Every one is expected to furnish his own refreshments.

The motion for a new trial in the case of Horace McCune, who recently recovered $[illegible] damages against the Northern Pacific Railroad Company, has been set for hearing in the United States district court to-day. The same order was also made in the Gilmore case.

Fred Hoyt, who has been serving twenty-five days in the county jail for assault on a woman of the town, would have been released to-morrow had he not been engaged in the recent attempt to break jail. For that offense he will now be again arrested and tried.

The Chicago, Milwaukee and St. Paul road has advised its representative here that it has made arrangements for special dispatch of freight for Portland and other points in Oregon and Washington, through the great transfer yards near St. Paul. Two nights and one day is the regular time from Chicago to St. Paul over that road.

The just reputation of Dr. Price's Flavoring Extracts places them in the first rank of the healthy best flavorings for creams, cakes, etc., that have ever been made. Their flavor is truly rich, fresh and fruity. Dr. Price has spent time and study in perfecting these flavors, and we are glad his efforts have been crowned with success.

ALBANY NOTES.

(FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.)

ALBANY, Dec. 4.

The firemen's election will take place next Monday.

Merchants are filling their stores with holiday goods.

Recorder Henton has been confined to his room for several days with fever.

The Albany dramatic company will give a performance at Lebanon one week from next Friday evening.

The city officials elected for the ensuing year are as follows: Mayor, J. L. Hill; recorder, N. M. Henton; marshal, I. E. Dickey; treasurer, Simon Bettenbach.

At the city election held yesterday the democrats elected the mayor, marshal, treasurer and one councilman. The republicans elected the recorder and two councilmen.

At the regular meeting of the Albany Engine Company, No. 1, held last evening, Joseph Webber was nominated for chief engineer and Arch. Monteith for assistant. Linn No. 2 nominated John Hoffman for chief, and W. R. Blain of Rescue Hook and Ladder Company for assistant.

PERSONAL.

Mr. E. A. German left by last night's steamer for a visit in San Francisco.

Mrs. A. M. Barcroft and daughter Mrs. H. E. [illegible], returned last week from their eastern visit.

Hon. J. S. [illegible], collector of customs at Wrangel, arrived here by the Idaho, and left for San Francisco last night.

Mr. G. K. Barnes of St. Paul, general ticket agent of the Northern Pacific, is en route to Portland, and will arrive to-morrow morning.

It is beyond question that Ayer's Cherry Pectoral has done and is doing vast good, and it won by its merits the place of honor it holds at the head of all remedies for diseases of the throat and lungs.

AMUSEMENTS.

NEW MARKET THEATER.—"The Fool's Revenge" drew another large house last night. To-night and to-morrow night, the dramatization of Tennyson's great poem, "Enoch Arden," with Mr. Brismor in the title role and Miss Davies as Annie Leigh. Friday night "Leah, the Forsaken."

THE EAST SIDE.

DRIVING OVER THE SIDEWALK.

Charles E. Clayson, while returning in a wagon from Clackamas county yesterday, took occasion to drive over the sidewalk near the intersection of Fifth and C streets, in order to avoid the track of the Park railway, which obstructs the roadway. Street Commissioner Bartel, being near by at the time, cautioned them of the illegality of the act, when they protested against his interference in language more forcible than polite, and continued to occupy the sidewalk till arrival at a point where the roadway was measurably passable, and where the sidewalk allowed an easy approach thereto. The street commissioner immediately made complaint against E. C. Clayson, who was driving the wagon, for driving over the sidewalk, and he was arrested by the marshal, arraigned before the recorder, and pleaded not guilty. The trial was set for 2 o'clock, at which time S. R. Harrington appeared for the city, defendant conducting his own defense. The prosecuting witness testified substantially to the facts as given above in support of the charge, and was corroborated by other witnesses. Defendant pleaded the necessity of driving on the sidewalk on account of the impassable condition of the roadway, and also his inability to [illegible], understand complaint on account of the [illegible]. Colonel Harrington addressed the court in behalf of the city, showing the illegality of the defendant under the law and the wilfulness of his act by continuing to occupy the sidewalk after being ordered to vacate. The case being submitted the recorder found defendant guilty as charged, and fined him $10 and costs, amounting in all to $17.50, which he paid under protest and was released. The end, however, is probably not yet, as the street commissioner declares his intention of preferring a further charge against defendant for using abusive language to ward him. Defendant, on the other hand, is equally determined not to be the only victim of the misdemeanor of which he was convicted, and avows his intention of entering complaint against others who are said to be equally guilty of the act, and thus it is said [illegible]. It is hoped that he will do so, and that the proceedings will go to show the culpability of the city in allowing the streets to be so obstructed as to make such acts necessary.

M. E. REVIVAL.

On account of the interest and success which have attended the protracted meetings at the M. E. church, they will continue throughout the present week. Since their commencement twenty-two accessions have been made to the church, and the interest in them continues to increase.

SHAFT BROKEN.

A break-down occurred at Hoyne's mill yesterday occasioned by the breaking of the main shaft. The grist mill in consequence will necessarily be suspended several days, and the employes will be idle for the balance of the week at least.

NOTES.

A special service was held at the Presbyterian church last evening, Rev. E. T. Lee of Ford officiating.

Miss Carrie Papy, who has been sojourning in San Francisco for near a year past, returned home by the last steamer.

A horse engaged at the [illegible] at Ninth and J streets, [illegible] and rolled down the embankment, yesterday, but miraculously escaped uninjured.

The wife of Wesley Sexton died yesterday at her residence on the asylum road, near Mount Tabor, of that prevailing scourge, typhoid fever. The funeral [illegible] to-day. Deceased was a sister-in-law of Mrs. Henry Jones and Mrs. Jeremiah [illegible] of this city.

A mistake occurred in printing the vote of J. H. Sprague for chief engineer in yesterday's OREGONIAN. The number received by him in the Third ward was 24 (the whole number cast), and he had 28, receiving two in each of the other wards. The whole number of votes cast was 71, T. C. Sm[illegible] majority being 15.

SALEM NOTES.

(FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.)

SALEM, Dec. [illegible]

Governor Moody has gone to The Dalles on a brief [illegible] health trip.

Steamboats are running regularly now between here and Portland.

J. K. McCormack left here this morning for San Francisco, to attend business college.

G. P. Terrell, the merchant prince of Mehama, is registered at Reed's hotel in this city.

F. M. Nickerson, clerk of Josephine county, was in the city to-day on official business.

H. G. Hurlburt has been appointed notary public, to reside at Castle Rock, in Wasco county.

The condition of A. N. Bush is such as to create alarm among his friends, as he is lying very low.

[illegible] Kuhn is again able to attend to business, after a somewhat tedious confinement to his room.

Efforts are being made, with indications of success, for the organization in this city of a commandery of Knights Templar.

Deputy Sheriff Boynton of Clackamas county, brought up another convict this morning, making the number now in confinement there 2[illegible].

Thomas B. Merry, Esq., of THE SUNDAY OREGONIAN, is in the city in attendance at the annual meeting of the board of directors of the State Agricultural society, which meets in this city to-day.

Deputy Sheriff Jacobs, assisted by [illegible], arrived from Jacksonville yesterday, having in charge John Justus, sentenced for life for murder, and a Chinaman sentenced for two years for larceny, who have been furnished with apartments at the penitentiary.

The city election yesterday was a complete republican victory, and resulted in the election of the following councilmen: First ward, Captain F. J. Babcock; Second ward, J. A. McCully; Third ward, Thos. Holman; Fourth ward, James Graham. The vote was small, and the majorities decisive.

BROWNSVILLE ITEMS.

(FROM THE OREGONIAN'S LOCAL CORRESPONDENT.)

BROWNSVILLE, Dec. 3.

After an absence of nearly one year, Geo. C. Blakely has returned.

Mrs. W. R. Kirk, pioneer, has returned, looking younger than when he started.

The breakwater is washing out. The last freshet was so high that saw logs and drift came in such abundance as to change the course of the current of the Calapooia. Mr. Ed. Breyer barely escaped being washed under the drift near his mill.

Two special trains left here during the teachers' institute at Lebanon. The railroad is smooth and the employes are courteous gentlemen, who are [illegible] in their business, but the idea of a railroad in the Willamette valley at this day and generation with no passenger coach is simply ridiculous. Villard would never come to Brownsville if he had to ride in a box car that affords no accommodation other than a chest, a pile of wood and a stove to sit upon. This is very likely the reason why more men of prominence do not come here.

Elegant 5-octave organs, for $50; handsome upright piano, large size, for $250, at the wholesale sale of Elmira Harris, 45 First st., Portland, Or. Catalogues mailed free.

THE COURTS.

COUNTY COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

PROBATE.

TUESDAY, Dec. 4.

Estate of J. L. Burton—January 7 set for hearing and settlement of final account.

POLICE COURT—MORELAND, J.

Chas. Schultz, Thos. W. Irwin, Joe Gass, Jas Williams, John Thompson—Drunk and disorderly; fined $10 each.

[illegible] Brown, Jas [illegible]—Stepping [illegible] passers; fined $10 each.

Jas. Welch—Roaming streets after midnight; fifteen days in jail.

Jas. McCann—Profane language; fifteen days in jail.

W. Hatton—Sleeping in street; fined $10.

Joe Driscol—Fighting; ordered $10.

Dick Powers—Fighting; jailed.

Pauline Morton—Selling liquor without license; continued.

Jas. Finnegan—Roaming the streets after midnight; dismissed with reprimand.

S. Lamp—Fighting; forfeited bail.

John Martin—Personating policeman; dismissed.

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Choice brands of wines, liquors and cigars at the Cosmopolitan, corner First and Alder.

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The purest [illegible] made by Staples & Harrold, Fourth and Morrison.

The [illegible] cream candies at Postoffice Candy Store, Multnomah block, Fifth and Morrison.

[illegible] Myers [illegible] for the holiday season an especially attractive stock of Watches, Diamonds and Jewelry. He has in fine [illegible] of [illegible] Patek Philippe & Co. and [illegible] and [illegible] watches, [illegible] at one-half the price they can be bought regularly, at [illegible] First street.

[illegible] candy [illegible] at the [illegible] Postoffice Candy Store, [illegible].

[illegible], Pecks Cream [illegible] Pineapple Creams at Staples & Harrold's, Fourth and Morrison.

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THE HOTELS.

ST. CHARLES.

Jas Jackson, Polk City	W Jates, [illegible]
A McIndoe, Cedar Rock	H S Booth, Tonsella
Geo Appl[illegible], Yoncalla	Frank Batten, Coburg
J Underwood, Lebanon	F A Moore, Helena
A Clatsop[illegible], Astoria	G B Elliott, Brookfield
H Calkins, Cathlamet	J R Henderson, Freeport
John Andrews, Freeport	J J Galloway, do
W O Medlock, do	C L Scott & wf, Wisconsin
J T Hickson, Tenino	Jas Nelson, Riverter
U Crosby, Centerville	C A Baker, Seattle
Miss Emma Bourne, N Yard	N Mallon, Canyon City
T E Wible, Canyon City	Jas Miller, Buena Vista
John Burke, Columbia Cy	Mrs L Jewell, Colum Cy
V C Julian, do	C F C Hoffman, Hoff's Lug
T F Leave[illegible], Cascades	C L Jones, McMinnville
E Martin, McMinnville	T P Williams, Cascades
J F Crane, Coeur d'Alene	J B Morris, Dayton
Ole Rosare, do	P E Storm & wf, W Walla
E F Mosher, Amity	Mrs L Messenger, Sheridan
U A Greener, McMinn	G P Terrell, Salem
G Baker, Eugene	N F Steadman, Jacksonvlle
E de [illegible], Salem	J G Burlaez, do
C Bo[illegible], S F	L L Jacobs, do
F S Harrison, N Tacoma	S W Davis, Dalles
T E Stevens, Glenada, Pa	P J Nye, Walla Walla
R Sanderson, Astoria	S H Martin, Columbia City
W H Gifford, St Helens	J A Rehle, Clackamas
T E White, Amity	A C Southwick, McMinn
Miss Ida Lower, Sheridan	Mrs A C Southwick, do
H D Gouses & wf, Lindsey	Mrs McLeary, Tacoma
S Potter, Sheridan	E C Smith, Oregon City
J P Stump & wf, Polk Co	Dr McCabe, do
O H Schlaak & wf, Or Cy	

ESMOND.

Mrs Quinn, Astoria	J P Brown, Washington
Mr Quinn, do	A S Levake, New Tacoma
G P Peabody, N Y	Mrs Buckley, do
D J Slate, do	Miss Buckley, do
A J Hartford, Walla Walla	A W Hill, Salem
C E Batty, San Jose	— Lincoln, do
A Sancles, San Francisco	P Williams, do
S Jamison, do	F S [illegible], Vancouver
N Jennings, do	Rev Wm Banks, Sydney
Mrs B Schultze & 2 ch, do	C K Ely, Milpitas
Miss Oppheimer, do	S P [illegible], Astoria
M Saunder, do	G E Hong, do
J N Blue, do	P C Norris, do
Joe Schley, do	Thos Birk, Missoula
F F Hennessy, U S N, do	A D Ryma, B C Co, St Paul
J T Connor, do	Miss Gordon, do
B Barton, Dalles	B Brownston & wf, Seattle
Mrs Haynes, do	B Green & wf, Rockport
P M Alpson, Eatonville	Dr S H Cohen, Jacksonv'l
A P Williams, Cascades	Joe Goodman, Gervais
F Gary, Aurora	

CLARENDON.

J S Devine, Camp Harney	J W Moore, Prineville
Mrs Phillips, do	E W Starr, Salem
Mrs J Bealy, do	C H Peterson, do
A W Bing, Walla Walla	A J Walsh, do
W H Kennedy, do	A D Gammons, Livingston
J T S Minnie, Whitelaw	J Murphy, do
J M Koss, Pendleton	P M Logan, do
A S Rees, do	A Yeasen, do
B Hurt, do	A Graham, do
C F Frazell, Ashland	O B Castle, San Jose
Mrs W H Peters, S F	S G Elliott, Corvallis
I T Mason & wf, Dallas	Mrs S Goodman, Eugene
J E Goodman, do	W A Jolly & wf, Corvallis
B F Mason & wf, Eugene	Ed McCormack, Salem
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D P Mitchell, Benton	

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30.00	Suits	to	25.00
25.00	Suits	to	20.00
20.00	Suits	to	17.00
18.00	Suits	to	15.00
16.00	Suits	to	12.50
$30	Overcoats	to	$25
25	Overcoats	to	20
20	Overcoats	to	16
18	Overcoats	to	15
15	Overcoats	to	13
14	Overcoats	to	10

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IN GLASS,	
IN CHINA,	
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IN WICKER,	
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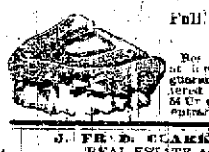

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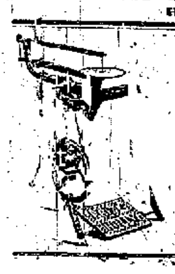

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING DEC 5 1883

ON A RAFT

An Adventurous Voyage Across the English Channel from Dover to Calais.

London Standard

Mr Copeman with his raft and the party who crossed with him from Dover to Calais on Friday returned to Dover on Saturday morning on board the harbor tug Granville The raft is similar in every respect except that it is larger to that exhibited at the fisheries exhibition It is also interesting as being the same raft with which experiments were made last year at Dover before the prince of Wales The following account of the voyage is given by Mr Copeman and is fully corroborated by the captain of the tug and those who crossed with the raft. He says:

"After waiting at Dover for a week for an opportunity to cross the channel, on Friday the wind was in a favorable quarter for crossing from this side of the channel, and I decided at an early hour to make the experiment instructions being given accordingly to the master of the tug Granville to be in readiness to accompany me The raft was brought down to the quay of the dock and put together in the same way as it would be on a sinking vessel the operation occupying only a very short time It was subsequently launched in the harbor about 8 o'clock We did not get a start however, until nearly half past nine, the captain of the tug being desirous of getting a particular set of the tide I was accompanied on the raft by an ex-coastguardsman and two Dover boatmen. M[illegible] the coxswain of the Lowestoft, was to have accompanied me and taken charge of the raft, but was prevented doing so by the accident which befel him at the launch on Tuesday morning. The voyage was not undertaken by myself in any foolhardy spirit The rafts are already in use on the Pacific and [illegible] and other large passenger vessels, and I wished practically to test whether they would not be as successful as a lifeboat in merely supporting a number of persons in the water as long as they had life and strength to hold on All being in readiness, the tug proceeded to tow us out of the harbor I had hoped to have been able to sail the whole distance across, the raft being provided with a sail and oars but when we got into the offing we found that the wind had chopped round to the south and lay almost directly in our teeth, We were, therefore obliged to give up the idea of sailing across the entire distance

I then determined to test her capabilities by allowing the tug to tow her at a good rate of speed, it having been stated after the accident which occurred on Tuesday, when three men were washed overboard in the harbor by allowing the raft to be towed broadside on that she was not capable of being towed through the water and her stability otherwise called into question in consequence There was not much wind at starting on Friday but a moderate breeze sprang up when we got further into the channel, where there was a heavy, rolling swell the result of the gale of the preceding days We started at moderate speed and the raft answered admirably, especially in passing through the tideway off the admiralty pier where it was very strong, and the water is generally more or less in a commotion Later on the speed of the tug was increased to twenty five revolutions per minute nearly full speed, when the raft behaved herself equal to any boat under similar circumstances She lifted her bows and rode over the waves in splendid style By towing the raft at the pace we did she was subjected to a much greater strain than if she had been riding on the waves in a gale of wind In mid channel where there was a fair breeze the raft was both sailed and rowed We reached Calais harbor where a large number of people had assembled on the piers to witness our arrival at [illegible] P M. having been more than four hours and a half on the passage Of course we should have been much longer—probably twelve hours or more—had we not had the assistance of the tug but I consider that the test of the capabilities of the raft was much greater than if we had sailed or rowed across. At Calais the raft was taken to pieces and thoroughly overhauled We found that she had sustained no injury whatever to any of her parts, either from the strain of the voyage or from the accident which occurred on Tuesday, when she fell from the crane in launching

The raft with which the experiment was made is constructed of mahogany It is fifteen feet long and from seven to eight feet wide The two seats are securely tied together by means of two cross-beams slipped into sockets the space between being covered with open weather boarding Each of the rafts has a low rail; they are two feet wide and sixteen inches deep and are fitted with straight metal cylinders to obtain additional buoyancy, and have four water-tight provision tanks These tanks hold four gallons of water and about seven pounds of biscuits, with which they were supplied on Friday The raft is capable of supporting thirty persons on board and more than twice that number clinging to it in the water by means of the life lines attached to the outermost side of the seats William Lambert, the captain of the tug in an account he has given of the voyage says he considers the raft towed quite as well as any ordinary ship's boat capable of carrying twenty or thirty persons There was a good sea in the channel and a stiff breeze The raft sailed at the rate of four or five miles an hour He thinks she would be capable of accomplishing considerably greater speed with more wind She appeared to be very buoyant in crossing the channel the men on board of her only getting a little wet from the spray of the sea Her conduct in the channel could not have been more satisfactory

SUMMER IN INDIA

How the Residents of England's Great Colony Spend the Heated Term

Only those who have experienced the heat of a summer on the plains of India, writes a correspondent of the New York Observer can have any conception of the fiery ordeal through which the dwellers here are called to pass and to neglect to make such provision as is possible for the alleviation of the fierce heat would be reckless in the extreme Taking up the morning paper one day since the commencement of the present hot season, I saw noted therein the death of a European lady in one of the hotels of the city She had arrived by a train from Bombay and had declined the use of any cooling apparatus for her room In the morning when a servant took in her early breakfast she was found lying upon the floor near the door quite dead, a victim of heat apoplexy

We rise early during the hot season in India, for the morning gives to us the only refreshment which the day furnishes and even at that time we often pant for a cool breath The early morning is the time for action Then as many with his helpers goes forth to bazaar or village to tell to all who will listen the wondrous story of a Savior's love the pastor visits the members of his flock, the physician his patients at home or hospital, the government official repairs to his office to do duty there the merchant serves his customers the laborer goes forth to his toil The seeker of health or pleasure, too, is abroad and nurses are out with pale faced children in charge but not infrequently more intent upon their own pleasure than upon their appropriate duties chatting with chance acquaintances and shielding themselves from the sun, while their helpless charges sit in their little carriages unprotected from the dazzling light and heat

By 9 or 10 o'clock the white foreigners are seen hastening home, and through the remaining hours of the day the European in India is a prisoner within the walls of his habitation as glad of protection from the burning heat as he would be for shelter from a winter's storm. But though confined within doors he need not be idle The student has uninterrupted hours for study translation or other literary work the pastor has leisure for the preparation of sermons, the man of business can devote himself to his ledgers, and the invalid can secure quiet hours for rest

Since the introduction of railways into India a large proportion of the government officials as well as many others who can afford the indulgence, have a residence for the summer months in some Himalayan retreat These mountain resorts, which the railways have made easily accessible are a great blessing to the invalid, and in these delightful spots where the air is fresh and bracing the pale faced children of the plains grow plump and rosy

Through April and May the heat continues to increase, and reaches its maximum in June or July, when the rainy season opens During these sultry months the sun burns its way through the heavens day after day The skies are brass, and the earth stone, with a fiery atmosphere between

During the hot season the nights are exceedingly trying, for there is little abatement of the heat and worn with the long conflict attended by so few alleviations, no wonder that the cheeks grow pale, the step languid and labor which once would have been a delight becomes a burden Even the people of the land become affected by the great heat and while the hot winds are blowing we frequently see those who are necessarily exposed, with the head muffled and even with the mouth covered, as a protection from the burning air But the degree of heat the people of India can endure is marvellous During the month of April, when the heat was very great natives were employed in repairing the thatched roof of our bungalow Through the long, burning day except a short rest at midday, they were engaged in this work, sitting upon the roof, and quite unprotected from the heat but from morning until night they chatted and laughed in great good humor, with no appearance of suffering on the principle I suppose that a degree of heat which would be torture to an Icelander would not be unpleasant to an inhabitant of the temperate zone

LUNDBORG'S RHENISH COLOGNE.

FEME SOLE.

The Owner of Jay-Eye-See Captures Another Wonder.

Louisville Courier-Journal

Yesterday it was current as a rumor that R S Veech of Indian Hill had sold his wonderful filly Feme Sole to the Wealthy horse-fancying Wisconsin manufacturer Feme Sole is a phenomenal animal and she occupies the heights of the ambitious to own the leaders on the trotting turf in the years near by If it proves to be the facts that Mr Case has secured Feme Sole, his regalist this transaction must be put at least $1000, Feme Sole has never taken part in a race though she trotted in public at the Lexington fair in 2:[illegible] and a fraction She is a brown and was foaled in 1881 so that she is but two years old For one of her age the muscular development is astonishing She has the large intelligent head of her sire [illegible], who already has the distinction of having got Trinket—2:14—the fastest so far of the Mambrino Chief family of trotters On the dam side the breeding of Feme Sole is remarkable, [illegible] Hambletonian Dorce Maid the dam of Feme Sole was by Messenger Duroc son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian and Lady Winfield, Feme Sole's second dam, was by Edward Everett also a son of Rysdyk's Hambletonian

Consumption is a disease we all dread It often carries its victims to untimely graves. How important then for those who cherish life and health to prevent this disease in its early stages. Every cold or cough should be treated with ALLEN'S LUNG BALSAM. No better remedy.

A Startling Theory.

Just now when there is quite a little scarlet fever in the city more especially in the peninsular this singular idea of its origin taken from yesterday's New York Times will be interesting

"A somewhat startling theory of the origin of scarlet fever is propounded by Dr J C Peters a prominent and influential physician of this city At a meeting of the Columbia veterinary college last night, Dr Peters advanced the hypothesis that scarlet fever originates [illegible] and that each case of the disease may be [illegible] traced to [illegible] The arguments, facts and data furnish [illegible] to fortify the theory are [illegible] and will go far to convince inquirers Should this discovery be amply verified, the time may come when [illegible] must be used for purposes of inoculation and the scourge of childhood may be averted as the smallpox now is by skillful physicians and surgeons

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TRADE AND COMMERCE.

TUESDAY, Dec 4

A good movement is noted to-day in several lines and notably as regards groceries Interior buyers have recently placed large orders more many coming in person City collections are reported as being extremely slow this month for causes not entirely apparent Consumers have not lost any unusual amount of work building operations [illegible] suffered no great delay by reason of bad or other [illegible] weather but some loss has been occasioned through weather but we believe it to be rather [illegible] than [illegible] city trade and particularly collections, set in thus early in the season from it on account of the laboring classes, a much worse condition of affairs must be experienced before spring opens Country collections are less difficult but are not as easy as could be wished for

A decline of one half cent is noted to-day in golden D and dry granulated sugars Possibly other grades may feel the position, but it is quite uncertain

Overland receipts include [illegible] prunes 60 bags raisins 125 cs mill [illegible] 350 cs mdse goods, 500 cs coal oil, 50 kgs nails 23 pkgs tobacco.

A lot of 938 sks Montana copper ore was received yesterday for shipment to New York

FREIGHTS—The Beemah [illegible] in this morning with lapsed charter Very little is talked of in freights the difference between ship and shipper preventing business Ten days more of loading activity threatens to veil high clear our river of engaged tonnage Engaged in river foots up 23 [illegible] and disengaged 14 459 tons

WHEAT—A very quiet but steady market is had Last quotations are not much, and more difficulty is had in securing the shade advances that has a long been possible The situation is far from one rising to either seller or buyer and is evidenced by the stiffness of the freight market The following figures are presented as showing the movement for the season, shipments being final clearances

RECEIPTS SINCE AUGUST 1

Wheat—	Valley	477 018	
	Eastern	[illegible]	1 [illegible]
Flour—	Valley	11 [illegible]	
	Eastern	47 [illegible]	1 [illegible]

SHIPMENTS SINCE AUGUST

Wheat—	Foreign	1 0 3 080	
	Domestic	14 [illegible]	1 [illegible]
Flour—	Foreign	5 [illegible]	
	Domestic	[illegible]	[illegible]

The excess of receipts over exports has been 628 209 ctls wheat, and (8 81 bbls flour

FLOUR—The export movement, foreign is some larger Local values show no change standard brands being firm

CHICKENS—Market dull $ [illegible] being accepted for old

EGGS—Stocks larger Sales of large lots to-day at 37½c Fresh bring [illegible]

PRODUCE RECEIPTS—Past 24 hours—[illegible] ctls wheat 1515 bbls flour 308 ctls oats 1,[illegible] ctls bran 463 ctls middlings [illegible] sks potatoes 1[illegible] lbs wool, [illegible] lbs hides 10 cs eggs [illegible] 500 lbs hops 423 bxs fruit 10 pkgs butter 175 bls hay Also 20 ctls barley, 25 043 ctls wheat, 7320 bbls flour, 1,60 ctls bran 1 2 ctls mill stuff 150 sks potatoes 280 [illegible] wool 31 8 lbs hides from the eastern section

IMPORTS—Per str Oregon 210 sks [illegible] bbls sugar 10 bbls 72 kgs syrup, [illegible] coffee 450 mats rice in bond 1400 [illegible] salt 170 pkgs tea, 75 cs canned goods 100 cs candles 5 [illegible] matches [illegible] and 12 axle grease 80 pkgs pepper 416 bxs soap 42 bxs [illegible] 120 kgs yeast powder 12 cs wash powder [illegible] cs candy 48 sks nuts 5 bbls vinegar 2[illegible] pkgs raisins, 15 [illegible] dried fruit [illegible] cs eggs 18 cs horse radish 5 cs [illegible] 10 cs honey 10 hf bbls butter [illegible] 14 sks [illegible] twine [illegible] bags 14 bls flour sacks, 42 coils rope 25 bxs tin kgs nails 57 pkgs tobacco, 31 cs cigars For Astoria [illegible] and 2 sks coffee 6 sks rice 3 cs canned goods [illegible] beans 1 cs cigars

Per bktne Tam O Shanter—[illegible] cs canned goods [illegible] 6 cs syrup 6 hf sugar 2 sks coffee 10 [illegible] candles 3 cs sardines [illegible] cs sauce 14 kgs pickles 3 cs soap 1 cs cream tartar 1 cs spice 7 cs wash powder [illegible] 3[illegible] starch 275 sks feed 3/8 cs coal oil [illegible] cs [illegible] 2741 sks brewing barley 40 sks [illegible] cod 843 bls hay [illegible] kgs nails and a large assortment of general freight

The Moslan though quite [illegible] arrived 24, [illegible] San Francisco with 24 tons hay and [illegible] tons black smith coal

The collier Willamette brought 21[illegible] tons [illegible] coal on her last trip to this port

CONSIGNEES

Per Tam O Shanter—W C Hazard Barker Lacy Bard Bros C G Garrison J J Allard, [illegible] Clackamas Paper Company H [illegible] and J Kamm W Dalton E G Pierce & Co, F M Hirsch [illegible] J J Bonner J A Merriman, Lissinger & Co E J Matthews

CLEARANCE—Dec 3—Br bk Antwerp for Queenstown with 30 151 ctls wheat valued at $60 [illegible] shipped by Meyer Wilson & Co

SHIPPING NOTES

The Queen of the Pacific sails to-night

The ship Corsica arrived at Tacoma to-day

The State of California sails from San Francisco to-morrow

The Bargany returned to McCracken's [illegible] for discharge of ballast

The Astorian reports the Balaklava as having crossed out Sunday

The Malleable [illegible] was receiving wheat to-day at Columbia and the Dolly [illegible] at Albina

The Spirit of the Dawn is ready to drop down river. She will probably fill up with salmon.

The Morayshire grounded coming up and will have to lighter A fall in the river caught her

A report comes from Tillamook that the schooner Alpha went into the breakers Sunday and was wrecked Nothing said of crew

An Astoria dispatch at 1 P M. reported the [illegible] ship Beemah as coming in A later report says the vessel proved to be the Sarah Bell 7[illegible] days from Newcastle, N S W, with coal to Balfour, Guthrie & Co

The Minnie M Watts, with railway material from New York, is out 2[illegible] days She was spoken off Cape Horn when [illegible] days out. One hundred and thirty five days from the cape is a long time but the vessel is not given up for lost as yet

Astoria Nothing has been heard of the Tillamook schooner Alpha for over a week She left here on the 23d ult, and on the 25th was seen about twenty miles off Shoalwater bay. The greatest fears are felt relative to the safety of the little craft, and her crew

Freights and Wheat.

Under date of December 1 the San Francisco Bulletin has the following touching upon the losses of exporters and consequent gain to farmers by reason of the decline in freights As the same state of affairs exists with us the article is very readable

A ship arrived here a few days ago that went out from this port to Liverpool last January under a charter of 7[illegible]s 6d The vessel registers 2003 tons, and is a good carrier Her inward freight last year was so poor that she required an advance of about $10 6[illegible] to get out of port Now she is here again, with even a poorer prospect than she had eleven months ago This is not an isolated case There are many others in the same fix Just now to load a vessel and accept in the trade between California and Europe and pay expenses, has not been determined At least two-thirds of the vessels that come here for wheat must either bring coal or some other equally unremunerative freight or come in ballast [illegible] the coal is sold at [illegible] to $8 per ton there is but little left for the ship after paying for the coal in the foreign market and the duty This remuneration is so [illegible] small that some ship owners prefer to send their vessels here in ballast rather than to send them to a coal port to load Several vessels have arrived here in the last few days from European ports in ballast It is a long distance to cover entirely at the expense of the ship, and only attractive rates from this port serve as an inducement to the business

It has been a common thing to report a loss of $10 000 on a single ship in a season A hundred ships at that rate means $1 000 000 Some ships show a loss of $15 000 while others have not exceeded $6000 It is fortunate that the losses are distributed among quite a number of firms and individuals and it is a good thing that they are not sufficiently large in any one case to seriously embarrass those involved It is held even the worst is now known and that some have neutralized their losses or [illegible] by early purchases of wheat at prices much below current rates

WHAT MIGHT HAVE BEEN

It is morally certain that unless some venturesome persons and firms had not early entered the field for ships with offers of 55s [illegible] to arrive during the past five months, we would have been short of vessels and farmers would have been selling their wheat for $1 [illegible] instead of $1 30 [illegible] ter [illegible] therefore been the [illegible] gain The export loss on wheat ships by [illegible] who are obliged to requarter their vessels [illegible] directly into the pockets of the farmers Of course it was not intended that [illegible] that is the way it [illegible] If the wheat exporters lose $1 000 000 on the [illegible] this season the farmers are that much better off [illegible] have been if no ventures in ships had been taken The price of coal has also been favorably affected by having so many ships come here for [illegible] Despite the large number of coal vessels which have arrived the price of coal is now [illegible] higher than it was a few months ago But for the fact of guaranteeing so many ships 55s and 50s out of this port with wheat the quantity of coal imported this year would not have been so large and [illegible] prices for that article would have been the result It is clear therefore that the [illegible] charterers are entitled to the sympathy of the community if to nothing more

BAD EFFECTS IN THE FUTURE

With the bitter experience of charterers and ship owners this season it is feared that the state will suffer for want of tonnage next year If shippers cannot offer 50s to 60s for vessels to arrive and vessels cannot get better outward freight a [illegible] of [illegible] years the number of vessels coming this way will be likely to fall off and that too perhaps just at times when we most want them Owners of coast coal mines used to think they were fortunate to get vessels to [illegible] in ballast to bring down coal at $5 per ton for the round trip Within the past few weeks several fine ships have willingly accepted $2 0 for this service under the hope that by the time they get back other and better business would await them Others have taken lumber charters for Australia South America and China at low figures Still others have cleared out in ballast for Manila and other markets for cargoes All these things are going to be laid up against us This is one of the worst features in the case It stands us in hand in the future to get at a clearer idea of our tonnage wants to the end that [illegible] ill-advised may occur [illegible] We cannot afford to make such mistakes as apparently have been made this year for there is such a thing as retributive justice

Markets by Telegraph

SAN FRANCISCO MARKETS

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4

Weather cloudy [illegible] wet

Receipts—Wheat [illegible] 00 centals [illegible] 8,000 about [illegible] flour [illegible] 000 ½ sks oats [illegible] centals potatoes 1600 sks eggs [illegible] 0 doz

Freight—The market is inactive The previously reported by [illegible] still on the market

Wheat—Spot market dull but not quotably lower No 1 shipping $1 85@1 8[illegible] [illegible] at concessions would holders take hold freely [illegible] lower No 1 white December $1 8[illegible]@1 8[illegible] buyer's season $1 91 @1 [illegible] sales on call board 4000 tons

Flour—Quiet

Barley—Weak at [illegible]@$1 02½ as [illegible] to coast feed $1 futures active at lower prices No 1 to 1 seller the year $1 00¾ seller the season [illegible] buyer year $1 02 buyer season $1 11½@1 13½

Oats—Steady with a fair demand Prices range at 55 to $1 65 Offerings are [illegible] of common [illegible]

Potatoes—Prices are not materially changed yet a slight tendency in sellers favor is noticeable especially for choice [illegible] and Tomales [illegible] sweet $2 50@2 75

Salmon—Columbia river nominal [illegible] per [illegible] jobbing

Hops—Quiet but firm

Wool—Steady with a fair amount of business doing mostly on local account Quote eastern Oregon [illegible]

Eggs—Weak and prices favor buyers [illegible]@42½c for fresh California

Butter—Supplies and demand about balance [illegible] unchanged

Sugars—Dry granulated and Golden C sugars reduced half a cent

CHICAGO MARKETS

CHICAGO Dec 4

January option wheat lower [illegible] pork steadier $1 [illegible] lard lower [illegible] ribs higher $6 [illegible] short rib higher $[illegible]

NEW YORK MARKETS

NEW YORK Dec

Wheat quiet and weak flour steady [illegible] steady

BEERBOHM'S FOREIGN BREADSTUFFS REPORT

LONDON MARKETS

LONDON Dec 4

Floating cargoes—Very dull

Cargoes on passage and for shipment—Buyers hold off

Country markets English—Quiet

Country markets French—Steady

LIVERPOOL MARKETS

LIVERPOOL Dec 4

Spot market—Wheat and flour quiet

California No 1 standard per cental 10s [illegible]d

PARIS MARKETS

PARIS Dec 3

Spot market—Dull

[illegible] REMARKS

London and American extra state flour [illegible] per [illegible]

MONEY MARKETS

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4—Sterling exchange on London bankers sixty days $4 [illegible] documentary $4 81

Transfers—[illegible]

Bank of England rate of interest—3 per cent

NEW YORK Dec 4—Silver bullion 1009 fine [illegible] fine ounce 1 0[illegible]

Sterling exchange prime bankers long $4 8[illegible] short $4 8[illegible]

Good commercial from [illegible] to ½c lower documentary [illegible]

United States bonds—[illegible] 100[illegible] [illegible]

LONDON Dec 4—Consols [illegible] 10[illegible]

Money 100[illegible] ex int

SHIPPING INTELLIGENCE

DOMESTIC PORTS

NEW YORK Dec 4—Arrived—Str Colon Aspinwall

CAPE HENRY Dec 4—Passed [illegible] M—Sh R D Rice [illegible]

TACOMA Dec 4—Arrived—Sh Corsica [illegible] Portland

PORT BLAKELY Dec 4 Sailed—S[illegible]

PORT MADISON Dec 4—Sailed—Bk Victor [illegible]

PORT TOWNSEND Dec 3—Arrived—Bk [illegible] Honolulu [illegible] Henry Buck bkt J M Griffiths and schrs Neptune and American [illegible]

Dec 4—Sailed—[illegible] Maria J [illegible]

SAN FRANCISCO Dec 4—Arrived—Str [illegible] Seattle Br sh Iron Duke [illegible] Liverpool [illegible] Dr Meyer [illegible] Br sh [illegible] Lightning Yokohama sh Lara [illegible]

Cleared—Str State of California Portland Br sh Superb Cork

ASTORIA Dec 4 9 A M—[illegible] east wind [illegible] A B Field arrived last night at [illegible] with Br sh [illegible] out [illegible] M [illegible] left up [illegible] Br bk Angers on the [illegible] Br Sarah Bell [illegible] from Newcastle N S W

CAPE HANCOCK Dec 4 [illegible] out 9 A M At 4 P M bar rough [illegible] wind velocity 32 miles

FOREIGN PORTS

SYDNEY prior Nov 21—Arrived—B[illegible] Eureka

CALCUTTA Oct [illegible]—Br sh [illegible] in [illegible] Br sh Pembroke Castle to arrive will load for S F

ASPINWALL Nov [illegible]—Arrived—[illegible] New York

ISLE OF WIGHT Dec [illegible]—Ger bk C F [illegible] S F [illegible] Antwerp

FALMOUTH Nov 23—Arrived—Ger sch bk S [illegible] S F

PLYMOUTH Nov 22—Arrived—Br bk [illegible] S F

BELFAST LOUGH Nov 19—Arrived—Br bk Nereus S F

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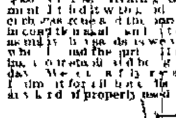

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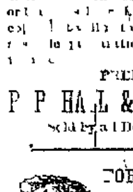

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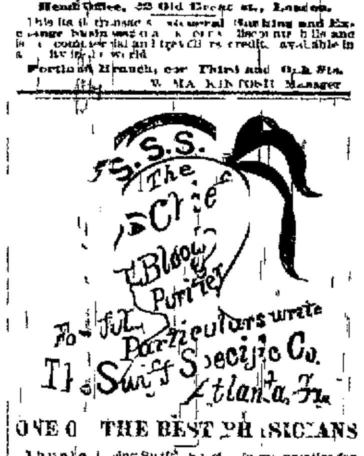

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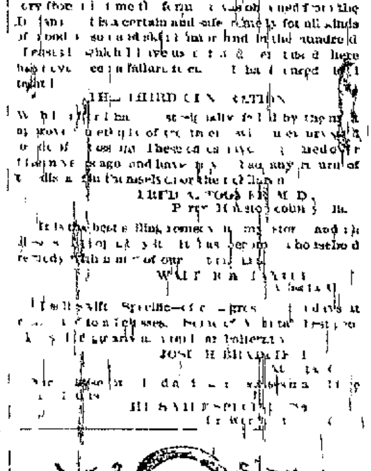

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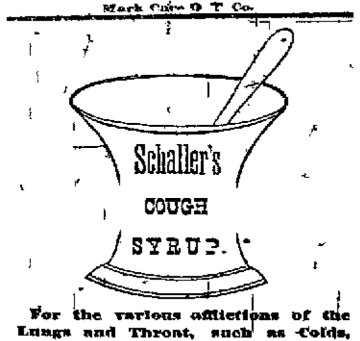

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Astoria & Lower Columbia	6 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]
Dayton, Or.	7 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]
Salem	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Corvallis	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Victoria, B. C.	6 AM	[illegible]	[illegible]

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BETWEEN PORTLAND [illegible] via O. & C. R. R. [illegible]

On and After [illegible]

Trains for [illegible] Mondays, Wednesdays and [illegible]

WEST SIDE [illegible]

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Leave Portland at 8 A.M. [illegible] for Portland at 6:[illegible] A. M.

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Portland	4:00 P.M.	[illegible]
Lebanon	[illegible] A.M.	[illegible]

The Oregon and California [illegible] makes connection with all [illegible] on the Eastside Division.

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BETWEEN PORTLAND [illegible]

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LEAVE		
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Corvallis	[illegible] A.M.	[illegible]

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LEAVE		
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PACIFIC DIVISION

Leave Kalama at 10:[illegible] A. M. [illegible] at 5:45 P. M.

Leave New Tacoma at [illegible] A. M. [illegible] 12.15 P. M.

Connections

At New Tacoma with [illegible]

At Tenino with the O. & [illegible]

At Kalama with O. R. & N. [illegible]

IDAHO & ROCKY MOUNTAIN [illegible]

Leave Wallula Junction at [illegible] Cheney at 7:45 P. M. Spokane [illegible] Helena at 7:25 P. M.

Returning, leave Helena [illegible] Spokane Falls at [illegible] Wallula Junction at [illegible]

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